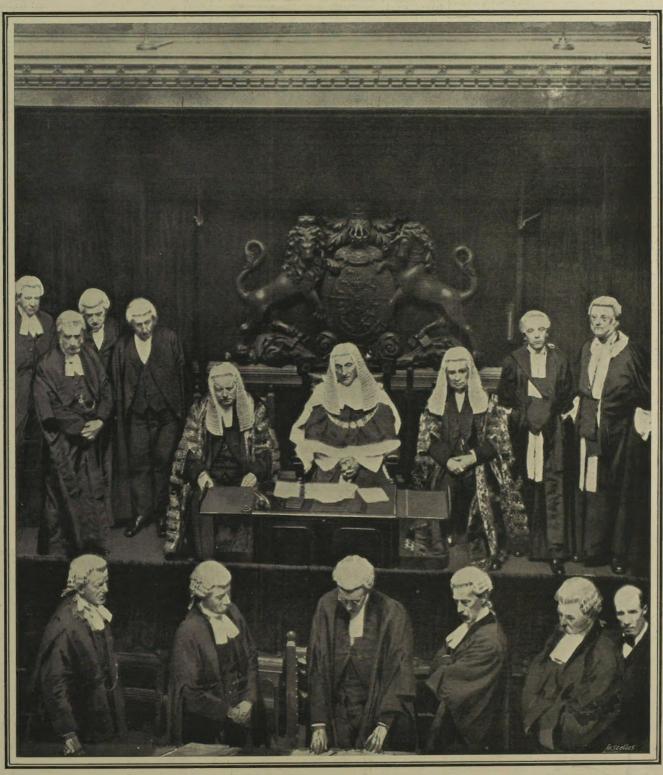
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"I WILL DO RIGHT TO ALL MANNER OF PEOPLE": THE SCENE AT THE SWEARING-IN OF SIR RUFUS ISAACS,
THE NEW LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF ENGLAND.

Sir Rufus Isaacs was formally sworn in as Lord Chief Justice on October 21; and took the oath of allegiance and the oath of service, administered by Mr. Kershaw, the Master of the Crown Office, in the following words: "I, Rufus Daniel Isaacs, swear by Almighty God that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to his Majesty King George V., his heirs and successors, according to law. So help me God"; and: "I, Rufus Daniel Isaacs, swear by Almighty God that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord King George V., in the Office of Lord Chief Justice, and I will do right to all manner of people after the laws and usages of this realm,

without fear or favour, affection or ill-will, So help me God." Both the Lord Chancellor, as the head of the Judiciary, and the Attorney-General, speaking for the Bar, warmly welcomed the new Lord Chief Justice and eulogised Lord Alverstone. On the right hand of the new Lord Chief Justice (reading from his right) are Lord Haldane, the Lord Chancellor; Lord Justice Vaughan Williams; Sir Kenneth Muir-Mackenzie, Lord Justice Buckley, and Lord Justice Swinfen Eady. On the left hand of the Lord Chief (reading from his left) are Sir H. Cozens-Hardy, the Master of the Rolls; Mr. Justice Darling; and Mr. Justice Channell.

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THE PLAYHOUSES.

"THE GIRL FROM UTAH." AT THE ADELPHI.

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"ENGLISH all through," you may say of Mr. George Edwardes's new Adelphi musical comedy, though it is called "The Girl From Utah," and as merry and bright as the brightest and merriest of all his long series of "Girls." English composers, Mr. Sidney Jones and Mr. Paul Rubens, in songs and stirring jingles, in tangoes and a barcarolle, in duets and concerted pieces, provide a score that never lacks vivacity. An English librettist, Mr. J. T. Tanner, is responsible for a story that is delirious and inconsequent enough to have come, like its heroine, from America; another Englishman, Mr. Rubens again, has helped him with the dialogue; while no fewer than three native poets, the versatile Mr. Rubens once more included, contribute the lyrics. Meantime, old favourites and new—English also, with one exception—figure in parts and costumes and situations nicely suited to their talents, and there is a good supply of dancing, fun, and vocal turns in a varied entertainment that has the merit of not being too long. Mr. Edmund Payne, as a Cockney ham-and-beef-shop proprietor, who is mistaken for a Mormon, provokes laughter at his every appearance. Miss Gracie Leigh, whose Irish song about "Nothing At All," is sure to take the town, acts and dances so spiritedly that she shares the honours with the popular comedian. Miss Phyllis Dare, as an actress who marries a peer, a newcomer, Miss Ina Claire, as the Girl from Utah, pursued by the real Mormon, are rivals in prettiness and charm. Nor is there any lack of opportunities for droll Mr. Coyne, whom by this time we can almost claim for an English actor.

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It is disappointing to find a young author who showed so much promise, and even brilliance, as did Mr. Robert Vansittart in his first stage-effort, following it up with a piece almost wholly deficient in all the qualities which recommended that to indulgence. "Caps and Bells" was so gay and so witty, and showed here and there such delicacy of touch, that it encouraged the hope that its author might some day give us a good comedy. We get nothing of the sort, alas! in "People Like Ourselves," which leaves us with the uneasy suspicion that it has been written to order and been shaped from a bad model. For its matter is tawdry, its craftsmanship botched. Its social types are afflicted with that vulgarity of smartness and that lack of all refinement which only in the th-eatre are imagined to mark the world of fashion; in place of concern with the interaction of character, the author fobs off on us sensational incident and melodramatic situations. And he seems to have fancied that a constant flow of aphorisms and cynicism at the expense of our ruling classes and their habits and ideas of government would serve to atone for a tinkered plot and a collection of puppets. Vitriol and jobbery do not make the best ingredients of a play, nor are contracts wheedled out of Ministers by the smiles of a pretty actress. Something, perhaps, might have been made out of Mr. Vansittart's idea that a scorned Gaiety girl is able to put backbone into the son and bring luck to the works of a great shipbuilding magnate, who first rejects her and then covets her as his daughter-in-law. Something, too, of fun there was in the notion that the "soug" of a boy might, by merely doing his best to render his election to Parliament impossible, win applause and a reputation for talent. But the author muddles up his chances and alternates hopelessly between comedy and melodrama. So that not all Mr. Kenneth Douglas's naturalness as the "scug" can help him; while Miss

The following notice appeared in a considerable part of our issue of last week-

OUR ARTIST AT THE ROYAL WEDDING: THE ACCURATE ILLUSTRATING OF THE CEREMONY IN THE CHAPEL ROYAL

It has just come to our notice that, under a drawing in an illustrated contemporary this week, the statement is made by the Editor of that paper: "We believe we are justified in saying that no artist of an illustrated paper was present at the ceremony and that no illustration of the royal wedding will be forthcoming of the unqualified accuracy which only the actual presence of an artist at the ceremony could have secured." In these circumstances, we beg to re-state emphatically, as is said above our two Double-page Drawings of the actual wedding ceremony of Prince Arthur of Connaught and the Duchess of Fife, that one of those drawings was made by Mr. Frédéric de Haenen, our Special Artist, who witnessed the ceremony in the Chapel Royal, Si. James's Palace, from its beginning to its end, and from an excellent point of vantage; while the other was drawn from sketches made by Mr. Frédéric de Haenen and under his direct supervision.

Ethel Warwick, with methods become deplorably stagey again, emphasises only too thoroughly the artificiality of the play's atmosphere,

"THE SHADOW," AT THE COURT.

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Mr. Eden Phillpotts has written fine novels, but not, so far, a play of compelling sincerity. "The Shadow" is not that, though its eloquent and often racy language, and its superficially poignant situations, might persuade to the contrary, especially as its plot turns on elemental emotions and works out a problem of homicide on unusual lines. It has certain features, too, of an excellence not to be denied—picturesque West Country dialect and oddities who are full of unconscious humour, though they scarcely fit neatly into his scheme. His technique, indeed, is still amateurish, but this would matter little if he did not mistake rhetoric for the vehicle of drama. Eloquent speeches are appropriate enough in the mouth of his self-sacrificing dreamer, who dies to save from the scaffold the husband of the woman he loves, and her and her unborn child from disgrace. Yet during the play's course he is the one person who acts—he submits to trial for murder and kills himself when condemned. The homicide is loud in blusterous talk, the heroine racks herself with agonising entreaties, but they let an innocent man die. Despite the passions credited to them, they are people of words, not deeds, and the husband who allows his wife's torrent of speech to dissuade him from taking his life, is made again and again false to his supposed character. Thus we get a drama of rhetoric which not even the splendid declamatory acting of Miss Thorndyke, Mr. Julius Shaw, and Mr. Copping can induce us to deem convincing.

"A DAUGHTER OF FRANCE," AT THE AMBASSADORS'.

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"A DAUGHTER OF FRANCE," AT THE AMBASSADORS'. It seems a pity that Mme. Lydia Yavorska should struggle—oh, so gallantly!—against the handicap of what is, for her, a foreign language, when she can act so much more naturally, and therefore forcibly, in her native Russian; and it is deplorable that, in her resolve to conquer English suffrages and the English tongue, she should decline on a play so unworthy of her powers as that in which she is now appearing. It is easy to see why Pierre Berton and Miss Constance Maud's dramatisation of the latter's novel, "A Daughter of France," appealed to her; the part of its heroine—a French girl married into a family of Scots puritans, and frozen by their stiff manners and prim self-righteousness—permits of an accent, and allows scope for displays of vivacity and emotion. But oh! what a feeble piece it is—one of those old-style sentimental "comedies" which one had hoped had died the death years ago. Its story turns on an absurd misunderstanding of married lovers, on the jealousy of a husband who suspects his little French wife for the filmsiest of reasons, and on the impulsiveness of the heroine, who runs away before the mistake can be explained. Just for a while the contrast between the Gallic light-heartedness of Jeanne and the frigid reserve of the McGregors is made to afford a certain amusement, but the sentimental complications, which last through four long acts, soon grow wearisome. Mr. Scott Craven does his best to make the husband's suspicions seem not too unreasonable, and Miss Elspeth Dudgeon's grim portrait of the dowager is admirable alike in conception and consistency. But Mme. Yavorska is wasted here.

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BY G. K. CHESTERTON.

A sthe years go by, one comes, I think, to see things much more simply. This may mean that one is growing wise; or, again, that one is going mad. Without pausing to weary the reader with any medical speculations about my own case, I will merely say that a great many things that once seemed to me truths, but subtle truths, now seem to me simple truths; and a great many things that once seemed to me catchy and plausible fallacies now seem to me luminous and limpid piffle. Thus I should once have said that the capitalists of the Manchester School were wrongly contented with boasting that they made Englishmen richer; and that they did not sufficiently remember that being richer does not

necessarily mean being either happier or more powerful. Now I should simply say that the Manchester capitalists did not make Englishmen richer; but only themselves richer. Or, again, I should once have said that England had not governed Ireland well, because she had not sympathetically understood a different and subtle national soul. Now I should say that England has not governed Ireland well because England has never tried. In religion, many "doubts" and "difficulties" I have had, like my contemporaries, are now, not a trial to my faith—but a great trial to my patience. And in politics and social ethics many a thing I should once have called a "problem" I should onw simply call a crime. If such social conduct is a problem, it is a problem for Scotland Yard.

But take, for instance, the whole of that idea of Progress which lies at the back of almost everybody's thoughts today, as the idea of the sacredness of the city lay at the back of an old Greek's thoughts, or the idea of sacraments and salvation at the back of a mediæval's. I mean that general conception that Man has experienced a gradual and fairly steady improvement throughout the past, to such a degree that we are justified in anticipating, at least in outline, a similar and further improvement in the future. In my perplexed and piteous youth, I was content merely to hint to those who spoke thus that their logic went a little too fast; that even if progress were the rule there were considerable exceptions to it; that the things of this world generally went up and down more than they allowed for; and, above all (which used to annoy them horribly), that it was possible to be improving in something and yet deteriorating in something else.

I seldom ventured, in their debating clubs or newspaper controversies, on more than a faint and fragmentary criticism of detail. In a timid and piping voice I would ask whether it was quite certain that Atticus was a sort of promise of the higher civilisation of Attila. With my knees knocking under me I would inquire why late Latin was not better than classical Latin, having had all those years to progress in; and, if the Elgin Marbles were improved by passing from Turks to Englishmen, had they been improved by passing from Greeks to Turks?

under me I would inquire why late Latin was not better than classical Latin, having had all those years to progress in; and, if the Elgin Marbles were improved by passing from Turks to Englishmen, had they been improved by passing from Grecks to Turks? If all human history was a well-ordered procession to a banquet, concluding with the greatest and noblest guest, how did, they come to be so mixed up; and what could the Major Domo be doing? Why did the Mycænean Homer turn up so intolerably early for the party; before the ladies had even gone up to dress? And why was the American Shakespeare so disgracefully late; so that dinner was actually

kept waiting for him? With such shy twitterings I would ask, "If the Great Rebellion was a step in progress, what was the Restoration?" or, "And if the Restoration was a step in progress, what was the Revolution?" or "If Progress approved of 'No Popery!' what did Progress think of Catholic Emancipation?" or "If the Empire was an improvement on the French Republic, why was the French Republic an improvement on the Empire?" and so on and so on; showing in a thousand ways the simplicity of my mind and the bashfulness of my manners.

But even when this guileless stage was passed, and I knew a little more than such mere stock cases



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THE NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA: GENERAL SIR BEAUCHAMP DUFF, G.C.B., K.C.Y.O., K.C.S.I.

K.C.V.O., K.C.S.I.

General Sir Beauchamp Duff, who has been appointed to succeed Sir O'Moore Creagh as Commander-in-Chief in India, is Secretary of the Military Department of the India Office, and from 1906 to 1909 was Chief of the Staff in India, in which capacity he was closely associated with Lord Kitchener. He entered the Royal Artillery in 1874 and fought in the Afghan War of 1878-80. In 1892 he was Brigade-Major in the Isazai Expedition, and two years later he served in the Waziristan Expedition; from 1895 to 1899 he was Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief in India, and later Assistant Military Secretary for Indian Affairs to the War Office. He fought in South Africa, was twice mentioned in despatches and received the medal with five clasps. Afterwards he returned to India, and held successively the posts of Deputy-Adjutant-General at the Indian Army Headquarters, Brigadier-General Commanding the Allahabad District, and Adjutant-General in India

of history, I did not see the thing as simply as I see it now. I had come to see that long periods of fairly evident improvement are more often than not followed by long periods of even more evident decline; and that even during the improvement, some things are declining; and even during the decline, some things improve. The Gothic arch was rising slowly like a slender and growing lily through all the time when the great Roman arches were broken or left to decay; and the very glory and Eastern glamour of the young Crusades carried with it something of that corruption which at last killed the Middle Ages. And it dawned on me at last (slowly, as the daylight of common

sense generally does dawn on people) that there is no more warrant in the nature of things for the standing expectation of the Progressives than there is for the expectations of the Millennial Dawnists, who expect to go to heaven together on a cloud. I then perceived a very simple fact: which I have not been able to forget. I perceived that the human race consists of human beings. And I perceived that Man had gone through the centuries exactly as a man goes through the streets; that when he wanted to walk fast he did walk fast, when he wanted to turn to the right, he turned to the right, when he wanted to stop, he stopped for as long as he chose, when he chose to get drunk he fell down, when he chose to be ashamed of himself he got up; and

ashamed of himself he got up; and whether he will end eventually in the church or the pond or the lock-up depends on himself and cannot be known by sociologists. But though I came to regard the whole dogma of Progress as something rather like a fraud, it was long before I understood the motive.

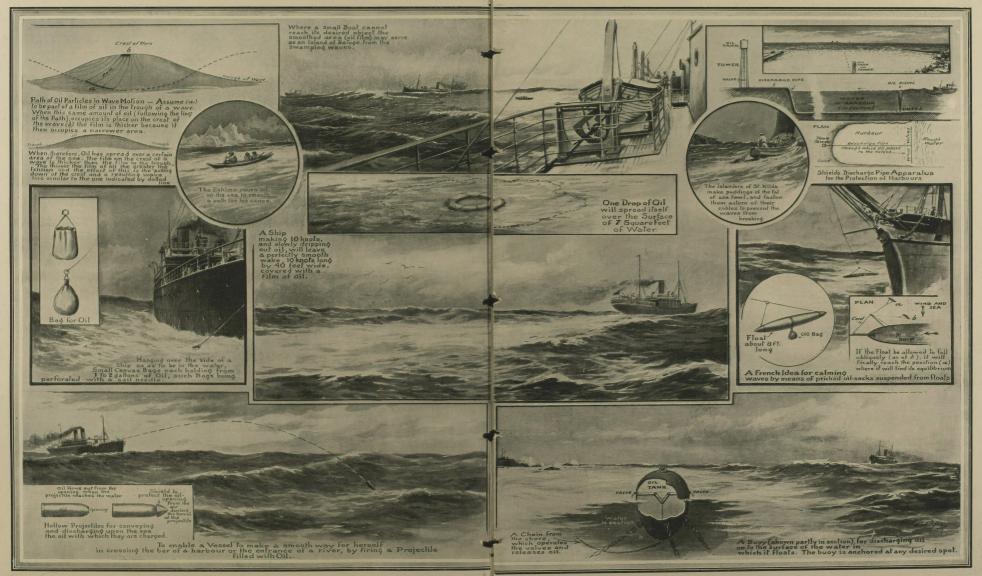
If anyone asked me now I should simply say: "This legend of Progress is simply a trick invented to keep poor people patient under tyrants and bad masters." I suppose there are still people who will call that a paradox: and perhaps I shall receive long letters, elaborately explaining that tyrants obstruct Progress, and that Progress will be quite uncomfortable for tyrants; with plenty of quotations from Mr. Carnegie and the late General Booth. Yet the truth I state is about the simplest and most obvious truth in the world. Anybody could see how true it is if it were transferred to the case of an individual man; like the individual man I have imagined as marching through a town. Suppose some unhappy person, ignorant of his origin, an orphan or foundling, or what not, were brought up in a rich house where he was condemned to live on bread and water and sleep on mouldy straw in the dark, Supposing his inhumane master wished him to remain reconciled to this, what cleverer or more tactful thing could the inhumane master say to him, than that he was gradually growing out of bestial into better habits and conditions?

"Your father," the inhumane master would say, "was a chimpanzee. I am a scientist; and I knew him intimately. Your father was called 'the learned chimpanzee,' because he could count up to two. I kept him chained up in the yard; and we had to throw his food at him, because he bit off the heads of six stable-boys. And now I take you into my house and give you a bedroom, and feed you on nice wheat bread, better than the poor Germans have; and yet you complain. Can't you see you're Progressing, my boy? Can't you see that with every genra-

terwards he have; and yet you complain. Can't you see you're Progressing, my boy?
Can't you see that with every generation your race gets nearer to being human? You lie quiet and progress." Now there is only one way in which this ingenious scheme could fail. That is, if the servant happened to be able to answer: "Excuse me, Sir, but as it happens, I knew my grandfather. He was not a chimpanzee. He was a small country gentleman with slender means, once the owner of one of your smaller farms and an admirer of the works of Virgil. And as you keep me, his descendant, both physically and mentally in the dark, I strongly suspect that you have stolen my inheritance." And so he has. This also explains why no history is taught in English schools.

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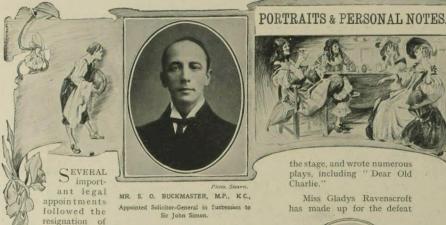


COVERING THE SEA WITH A FILM TO SMOOTH IT: OIL MODIFYING THE

The very valuable part played by the oil-tank steamer "Narragansett" at the time of the "Volturno" disaster has caused keen attention to be directed once more to the way in which oil may be used to calm the troubled waters. Sir Ray Lankester, for example, dealt with the question very thoroughly the other day in the "Daily Telegraph"; and there have been various other printed notes about the subject. That being so, these drawings must prove of exceptional interest; more especially when it is pointed out that nine pints of oil cover a square mile of water effectively; that is to say, provide it with a film which will prevent it from breaking. The film is effective when it has the almost unimaginable thickness of two-millionths of a millimetre. So much is the use of oil recognised in this connection that the Board of Trade's "Notices to Mariners' quotes at length the Admirally's information, given in their sailing directions, on "The Use of Oil for Modifying the Effect of Breaking Waves." From this we quote the following points: "On tree waves, that is, waves in deep

EFFECT OF BREAKING WAVES, AND THUS MAKING NAVIGATION THE SAFER.

water, the effect is greatest. In a surf, or waves breaking on a bar, where a mass of liquid is in actual motion in shallow water, the effect of the oil is uncertain; as nothing can prevent the larger waves from breaking under such circumstance; but even here it is of some service. The heaviest and thickest oils are most effectual. . . . All animal and vegetable oils, such as waste oil from the engines, have very great effect. . . . The best method of application in a ship at sea appears to be: Hanging over the side, in such a manner as to be in the water, small carras bags, capable of holding from one to two gallons of oil, such bags being pricted with a sail needs to facilitate the leakage of the oil. . . For bearing a week, it is recommended to pour oil overbeard to windward of her before going alonguide." This use of oil was well known to the ancients. The officers of Pliny's fleet knew it eighteen hundred years ago. Three of our drawings are based on details in the specification of John Shields in "Apparatus for the Protection of Harbours and Shipping.



Lord Alverstone. His place as Lord Chief Justice has been taken by Sir Rufus Isaacs, the latter is succeeded as Attorney-General by Sir John Simon, who, in turn, is succeeded as Solicitor-General by Mr. S. O. Buckmaster. Sir John Simon has thus become head of the English Bar at the early age of forty. He is M.P. for Walthamstow. Mr. Buckmaster, who is fifty-two, has sat for Cambridge, and, since 1911, for Keighley.

Under doctor's orders, Dr. S. A. Donaldson has resigned his post as Vice-Chancellor of Cambridge University. He is the Master of Magdalene College. The new Vice-Chancellor is Dr. M. R. James, Provost of King's.

It must require remarkable courage to grasp the bar of a parachute on an air-ship 2000 feet up, and drop off into space. This was what Major E. M. Maitland did at Farnborough the other day, when he safely descended by parachute from the Army air-ship "Delta." Major Maitland

who is in the Essex Regiment, commands the Air-ship Squadron of the Royal Flying Corps.

It is distressing to learn that M. Charles Tellier, the aged inventor of cold storage, died at Auteuil "almost as poor as he had been living for the last quarter of a century." Last February his case was taken up and he was honoured in Paris with a banquet and the Cross of the Legion of Honour. But the £4000 subscribed for him in Argentina had not reached him at the time of

Mr. Charles Brookfield, whose death

we regret to record, was in 1911 appointed Joint-Examiner of Plays with Mr. G. A. Redford, who was shortly afterwards succeeded by Mr. Ernest Bendall. Mr. Brookfield was a son of Tennyson's friend, Canon Brookfield, and was, like his father, famous as a humourist. He was formerly on the stage, and wrote numerou

plays, including "Dear Old Charlie." Miss Gladys Ravenscroft has made up for the defeat



MISS GLADYS RAVENSCROFT, Winner of the Ladies' Golf Championship of the United States

of Ray and Vardon in the United States Open Golf Championship by winning



AT THE DEDICATION OF THE "BATTLE OF THE NATIONS" MEMORIAL AT LEIPZIG: (FROM LEFT TO RIGHT) THE KAISER, THE KING OF SAXONY, AND HERR THIEME.

the American Ladies' Championship. She beat Miss Marion Hollins in the final at Wilmington, Delaware, by two holes. Miss Ravenscroft was British Lady Champion last year.



SIR JOHN SIMON, M.P., K.C.V.O., Appointed Attorney-General, with a Seat in the Cabinet.

proclaimed King of Zulufifteen, on the death of his

Dinizulu was

father, Cetewayo, in 1884. In 1888 he was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for high treason, and in 1890 he was transported to St. Helena. Seven years later he was allowed to return, and was given a house and £500 a year. In 1906 he was again imprisoned, for harbouring rebels, and was released in 1910.

Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, brother of the ex-Colonial Secre-Mr. Arthur Chamberlam, brother of the ex-Colonial Secretary, was prominent in the business world of Birmingham, where he was chairman of many companies, and set a high standard of commercial integrity. He was a strong Free Trader, temperance reformer, and Radical. Last year he advocated national ownership of coal.

There was a great gathering at Leipzig on Oct. 18 for the dedica-tion of the "Battle of the Nations" memorial, which was attended by the Kaiser, the King of Saxony, and royal visitors from Austria, Russia, and Sweden. One of the chief speakers was Herr Clement Thieme, the first

President of the German League of Patriots, to whose efforts the monument is mainly due.

Sir George Womb-well's military career was short, but contained more excite-ment than many soldiers experience in a lifetime. He was in the Charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava, and fought also at Inkerman and the Alma. In the famous charge his horse was shot under him, and he was made prisoner for a few minutes, but escaped. After the war he left the Army and settled down on his estates He was a model landlord and a keen sportsman.



DR. S. A. DONALDSON, Who has Resigned the Vice-Chan-cellorship of Cambridge University,



THE LATE SIR GEORGE WOMBWELL, Br., The Last Surviving Officer who rode in the Balaclava Charge.

Mr. John Ferguson, who died recently at Chilworth, Surrey, was for many years a prominent public man in Ceylon, where he was formerly proprietor of the Observer. He conducted other publications there, and was Colombo correspondent of the Times. In 1903 he was elected to the Legislative Council.



DR. M. R. JAMES

Who has been Elected Vice-Chan-

Who made a Daring Parachute Descent from an Army Air-Ship at Farnborough.

of Cambridge University

THE LATE M. CHARLES TELLIER, The Inventor of Cold Storage, who has died in Paris.



THE LATE MR. CHARLES BROOK-FIELD, Joint - Examiner of Plays.



THE LATE CHIEF DINIZULU. The Last King of Zululand, and Son of Cetewayo.



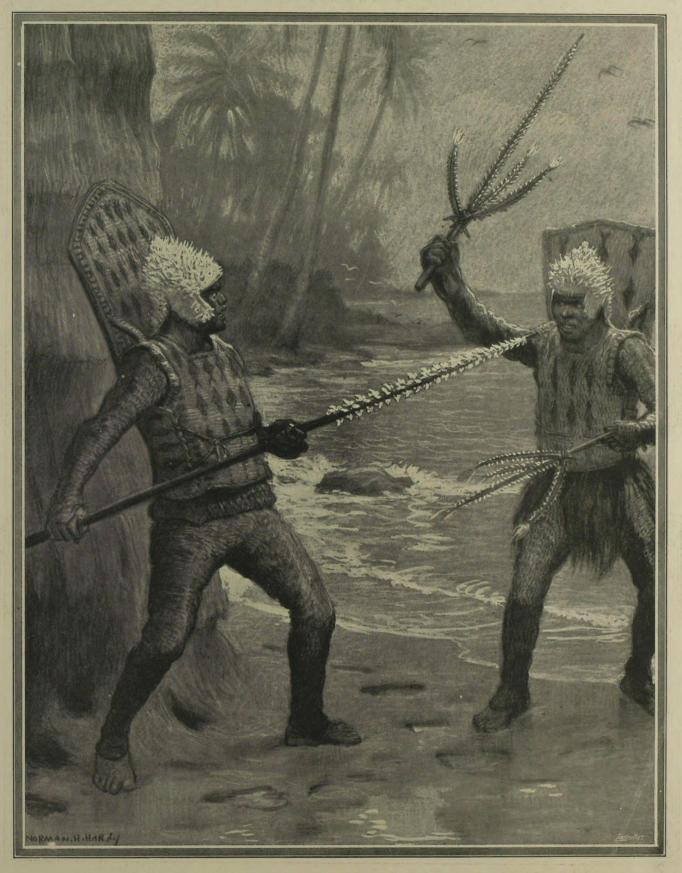
THE LATE MR. ARTHUR CHAMBERLAIN. Brother of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain,



THE LATE MR. JOHN FERGUSON, For many years a Prominent News-paper Proprietor in Ceylon.

THE DUELLISTS: MICRONESIAN NATIVES IN COMPLETE FIGHTING-KIT.

DRAWN BY NORMAN H. HARDY; RECENTLY IN THE GILBERT ISLANDS.

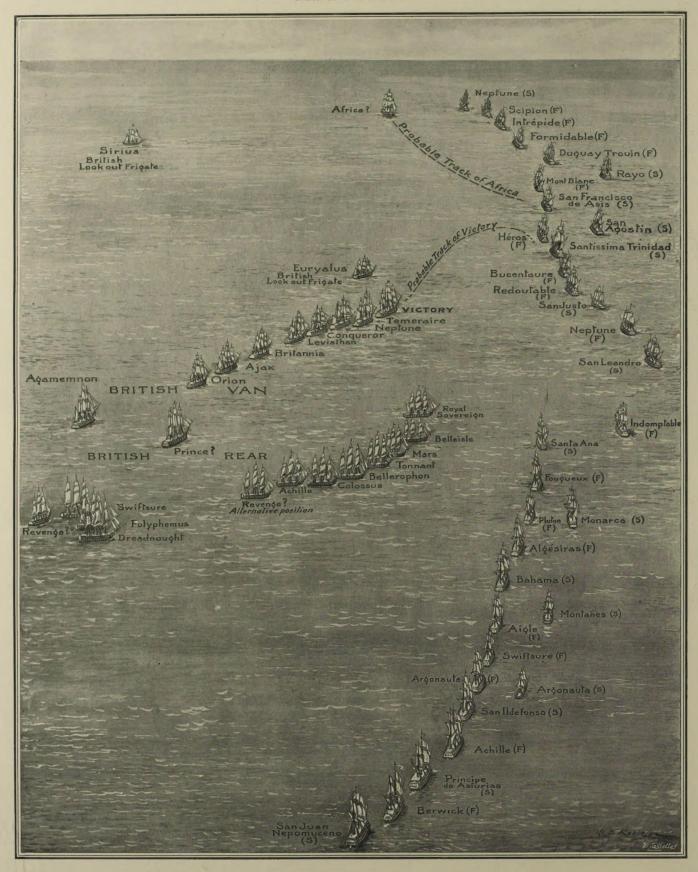


SHARK'S-TEETH SPEAR V. SHARK'S-TEETH SWORDS: WARRIORS CLAD IN COCONUT-FIBRE "ARMOUR" AND HELMETTED WITH FISH-SKIN.

Describing his drawing, our Artist writes: "In the Gilbert group of islands and atoils, the Micronesian natives wear a sort of armour which is unusually complete. This is made of closely plaited and woven coconut fibre. The cuirass has a backplate reaching up some way behind the head. The body part is held together by a cord. The helmet is made from the skin of a sort of sun-fish, chosen on account of its sharp spikes. Under the cuirass is worn a coat with long sleeves; and in one of the specimens I had there was a piece which came down over the back of Describing his drawing, our Artist writes: "In the Gilbert group of islands and atolls, the Micronesian natives wear a sort of armour which is unusually complete.

HOW TRAFALGAR WAS FOUGHT: THE PROBLEM SOLVED AFTER 108 YEARS.

DRAWN BY W. B. ROBINSON.



EVIDENCE THAT THE "NELSON TOUCH" WAS SURE AND THAT THE ORIGINAL PLAN OF ATTACK OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST SEA-CAPTAIN WAS NOT DEVIATED FROM FOR THE BATTLE: THE POSITION OF THE SHIPS AT NOON ON OCTOBER 21, 1805.

On the eve of Trafalgar Day the Admiralty issued the Report of a Committee appointed in April 1912, "for the purpose of thoroughly examining and considering the whole of the evidence relative to the tactics employed by Nelson at the Battle of Trafalgar." On September 28, 1805, when Nelson arrived off Cadiz, he explained his plan of attack for the impending battle; and on October 1 he wrote to Lady Hamilton: "When I came to explain to them the 'Nelson Touch,' it was like an electric shock. Some shed tears, all approved. 'It was new—it was singular—it was simple!' and from Admirals downwards it was repeated, 'It must succeed, if ever they will allow us to get

at them.''' For a hundred-and-eight years the question has been whether the original—the "Nelson Touch"—plan was acted upon or not. Very soon after the battle the notion became general that the whole plan was thrown aside at the last moment. The Committee's Report should finally destroy that idea. His plan Nelson first explained to his officers orally. Later it was written out and circulated amongst the officers several days before the battle; later still, it was discussed and settled with Collingwood from day to day. The British ships "Minotaur" and "Spartiate," vessels of the British van, stationed well to the left of the "Agamemnon" and the "Revenge" (looking at the drawing) are not shown here.

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THE CAMERA AS RECORDER: NEWS BY PHOTOGRAPHY.

DRAWING BY CECIL KING; PHOTOGRAPHS BY NEWSPAPER ILLUSTRATIONS, UNDERWOOD AND UNDERWOOD, AND CRIBB.



SHOWING A PROCESSION IN HONOUR OF THE EVENT: THE DEDICATION OF THE GREAT BATTLE OF THE NATIONS MEMORIAL AT LEIPZIG.

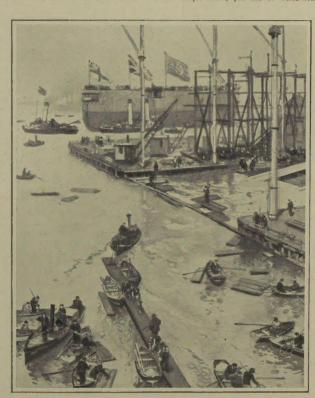
With regard to the first of these photographs it should be said, as is noted elsewhere in this issue, that the Leipzig Memorial commemorating the Battle of the Nations was dedicated on October 18.—A simple event, yet one of world-wide



THE FIRST VESSEL TO PASS THROUGH THE GATUN LOCKS OF THE PANAMA CANAL:

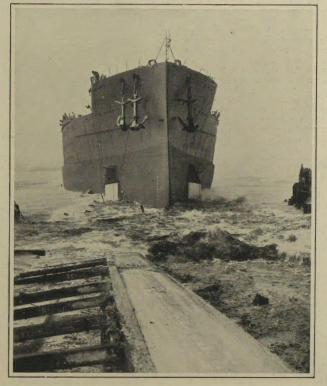
THE SEA-GOING TUG "GATUN" ON ITS WAY TO GATUN LAKE.

importance, was chronicled the other day when it was written briefly: "The sea-going tug 'Gatun' has successfully passed through the Gatun Locks and anchored in Gatun Lake. The Lock Gates and machinery worked perfectly."



DOCKYARD "SCAVENGERS" AT WORK: COLLECTING THE VALUABLE GREASE FROM THE WAYS AFTER THE LAUNCH OF THE BATTLE-SHIP "QUEEN ELIZABETH."

The "Queen Elizabeth" is a pioneer in several respects. She is the first British battle-ship to burn oil only; she is the first to mount the new 15-inch gun; she is the first to be specially armoured against air-craft; and she is the first to have guns for use against air-craft. Her launching weight was over 10,000 tons. She will displace about 27,500 tons. The 15-inch gun fires a shell of between 1800 lb. and 2000 lb. in weight. With regard to the first of these two illustrations, Mr. Cecil King writes: "In a Government yard, a considerable amount of grease is put on the ways to ensure the ship sliding down easily, and this grease, being



PHOTOGRAPHED AT THE MOMENT OF LAUNCHING: THE "QUEEN ELIZABETH," THE FIRST BRITISH BATTLE-SHIP FITTED TO BURN OIL ONLY, IN THE WATER largely composed of Russian tallow (with soft soap and oil), has a value. The wood-work which floats out is collected directly the launch is over and brought back to the dockyard, and such of the grease as floats out is gathered up in the same way. Such of it as finds its way outside the boom closing the entrance to the slip can be collected by anyone, and after the launch of the 'Queen Elizabeth' the occupants of crowds of boats were to be seen scooping up the floating grease or scraping it from the pieces of timber as they were being towed back to shore. On returning the grease to the authorities, the collectors are paid for it.



Egyptian Art. Sir Gaston Maspero's studies in "Egyptian Art" (Fisher Unwin) were written

during a period of more than thirty years, and published, at intervals, in Les Monuments de l'Art Antique, in the Gazette des Beaux-Arts, de l'Art Antique, in the Gazette des Beaux-Arts, the Revue de l'Art Ancien et Moderne, and suchlike serials. That is to say, they were lost. Much likelier would it be to find a scarab of lapis lazuli in the Caledonian Market than chance upon all the right numbers of these learned magazines among the unserried volumes of over a quarter of a century. Sir Gaston, in collecting them as they stand does the reader great service. a century. Sir Gaston, in collecting them as they stand, does the reader great service, but runs some risk of wronging his own sense of congruity and sequence. His papers were written to suit the needs of the moment. Who but he, for instance, could have explained so well the importance of rescuing some few specimens out of the shipload of 180,000 mummies of Egyptian cars brought to Europe for measure in 1800. cats brought to Europe for manure in 1890? Who but he could have described, on the first encounter, the various discoveries of the excavators? He was always on the spot; his accounts are racy of the soil that fell from the shovels of the workmen. He is at once the special reporter and the man of knowledge—with, in these pages, more elbow-room for the special reporter than his learned fellow would concede in a volume seriously planned. But the convolume seriously planned. But the con-junction is a happy one: the story of the Cow of Deir-el-Bahari demands just such telling as Sir Gaston's. He remembers the hour of the day upon which her vault was uncovered; he remembers that the fellahs cried that she breathed noisily as the light of day touched her, and shivered in all her limbs; he tells how he protected her from sorcerers, who with incantations and a little dynamite would incantations and a little dynamite would



have turned her into ingots of pure gold, and from the curio hunters; he tells how he now keeps her, her body in full light, in the Cairo Museum; he tells, moreover, of the mixture of



OVER 3000 YEARS OLD. BUT LIKE A MODERN WOMAN IN EGYPTIAN FANCY DRESS: THE MOND STATUETTE, OF AN EGYPTIAN GIRL

MOND STATUETTE, OF AN EGYPTIAN GIRL

OF THE XIXTH DYNASTY.

"The young woman lived under the XIXth Dynasty, at a time when fashion imposed enormous head-dresses and scanty clothing on its votaries. . . . Seen from the side between the hanging pieces of the wig . . . it assumes a malicious, roguish expression not ordinarily usual in Egyptian women: it might be one of our contemporaries who, from caprice or coquetry, has put on the ancient colifier."

(Sir Gaston Maipers, in "Ecyptian Art.")

mysticism and realism that makes her wonderful, even on the yonder side of turnstiles. Sir Gaston Maspero is the best of guides

> EGYPTIAN ART. Studies by Sir Gaston Maspero, Translated by Elizabeth Lee.

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because he never loses his sense of proportion, nor his head, in the bewildering vastness of Egyptian art and religion. He shows modern common-sense even while the inscrutable eye of the Cow Hathor regards him.

Fouquier-Tinville. "The incarnation of the venatory attorney spirit." That is Carlyle's epigrammatic summing-up. "The incarnaof Fouquier-Tinville, the Public Prosecutor of the Terror. The judgment of Carlyle is borne out,



in effect, by M. Alphonse Du-noyer's able examination of the noyer's able examination of the career of this most execrated man. In "The Public Prosecutor of the Terror" (Jenkins), he lets the man's acts judge him. The first part of the book contains an account of the most notable trials which Fouquier conducted, or, rather, misconducted; the second is occupied with his own trial and death. The Prosecutor did not even know the meaning of fair play. His object was death. The Prosecutor did not even know the meaning of fair play. His object was to get as many and as large "batches" ready for the guillotine in as short a time as possible. At Danton's trial he urged that the witnesses for the defence be not heard. One day he contrived to get sixty persons condemned between ten and three o'clock. He it was who gave orders for the guillotine to be kept up permanently. He pleaded that his zeal for blood was only a sense of duty. Doubtless it appeared so to him. M. Dunoyer is with Carlyle in putting the matter in its true light. Bred a pleader, an M. Dunoyer is with Carlyle in putting the matter in its true light. Bred a pleader, an expert in all the chicanery of the law, Tinville was simply "out to win." He could not bear to lose a case. At all costs he must obtain a verdict for the prosecution. It was his "venatory attorney spirit" that hounded him at last to the same scaffold as had run red with the blood of so many of his victims. Yet in his domestic relations he was an affectionate husband and father, whose last moments were embittered by the thought that he was leaving his wife and children destitute. One virtue, at least, he possessed. He was not corrupt, and he died penniless. None of the Republic's money flowed into Fouquier's pocket. M. Dunoyer's study, based on careful documentary research, forms yet another valuable contribution to forms yet another valuable contribution to the literature of an inexhaustible subject. The translation is by Mr. G. W. Evans.



A QUEEN OF ANCIENT EGYPT? A HEAD, IN PAINTED WOOD, OF A PRINCESS

OF THE FAMILY OF TYT—IN PROFILE
FROM THE COLLECTION OF M. JAMES SIMON AT BERLIN.

Describing the bust shown in these two illustrations, Sir Gaston Maspero writes. "That type... is preserved intact in the admirable head in painted wood which has passed into the Collection of Herr Simon of Berlin... I believe it to be one of Thyi's

From "Egyptian Art," by Sir Gaston Maspero, Hon. K. C.M.G.

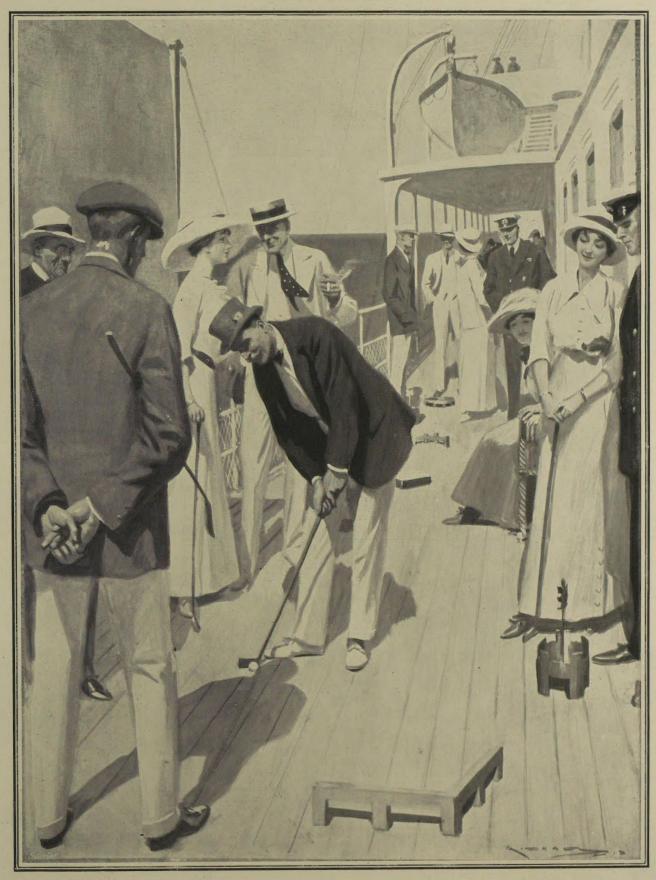


A QUEEN OF ANCIENT EGYPT? A FULL-FACE VIEW OF THE HEAD OF A PRINCESS OF THE FAMILY OF TIYI.
FROM THE COLLECTION OF M. JAMES SIMON AT BERLI

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grand-daughters who became queen after the fall of the Heretic Dynasty: her headdress, which was originally that of a private person, was afterwards modified to receive
the insignia of royalty. Was she married to Harmhábi, to Ramess, or to Setoui I.?"
From "Egyptian Art," by Sir Gaston Maspero, Hon. K.C.M.G.

A GHOST OF THE REAL PASTIME: GOLF ON THE HIGH SEAS.

DRAWN BY A. C. MICHAEL.



A GAME IN WHICH IT IS POSSIBLE TO BE SCUPPERED AND COAL-BUNKERED: MARINE GOLF ON BOARD A LINER—SHOWING "HOLES" AND "BUNKERS."

Marine golf has been described by Mr. Eden Phillpotts, in "The Encyclopaedia of Sport," as a ghost of the real pastime, but worthy of widest consideration as a sport at once novel, varied, and interesting. "The necessary materials," he writes, "are extremely simple. A round disc or quoit of heavy wood about 4½ inches in diameter takes the place of a ball, and, instead of a club, a fairly heavy walkingstick with a flat head, or handle, is used. The holes may be either a spot of chalk, to be covered by the disc, or a circle, about half as large again as the disc, into which it has to be played. Hitting will be found useless, and the stroke for

drive, approach, or putt alike is a drag or push." That is one version of the game. Here is illustrated another, distinctly more elaborate. In this golf clubs are used; there are elaborate "holes"; and there are various bunkers through which the "ball" has to be driven. Marine golf, notes Mr. Phillpotts, has its own terminology. To be scuppered is a condition of affairs which speaks for itself to anybody who knows a ship; while a coal-bunkered player can also be imagined without difficulty. The frequency of the stymie is rather a nuisance of the game. "Cannons" off obstacles are, by the way, admissible.

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AS OTTAKAR BRUCKNER'S LAWYER, DR. ROSENROT, "THE RECONCILIATION CHAMPION": MR JAMES BLAKELEY IN "THE LAUGHING HUSBAND," AT

THE NEW THEATRE. the sense of loss to which the story of his approaching retirement has given rise.

N the last day of January, or the 2nd of February, 1914. "Parsifal" is to be produced at Covent Garden. This opera, so frequently described and discussed, should prove the mainstay of a winter season which will last for five weeks. Herr Hensel, of Bayreuth, will fill the title-rôle, and Frau Eva von der Osten, of Dresden, will appear as Kundry. Arthur Bodanzky, of Mannheim, will conduct, and Herr Wirk, of Munich and Bayreuth, will be the stage-manager. It is interesting to note that "Parsifal" will be produced in many of the leading opera-houses of Europe in January next, and opera-houses of Europe in January next, and, in spite of this, there is a very wide response to the summons of next summer's Bayreuth to the summons of next summer's Bayreuth Festival. Among the operas to be produced at Covent Garden in February is Etienne Méhul's "Joseph," which has been arranged by Weingartner, the famous conductor, composer, and writer on musical subjects, who succeeded Gustav Mahler at the Vienna Opera House, and has visited England on more than one occasion. Rearrangement must be very necessary in the case of a work composed more than a century ago. It was written in the time of the French Revolution, and was the twenty-fourth opera given by the composer to his public in the brief space of seventeen years

Competent critics regard " Joseph" as the masterpiece competent critics regard "Joseph" as the masterpiece of a man whose work met with extraordinary success in his own day and covered every field of composition. It would be interesting to learn how Méhul's masterpiece comes to be revived; if the experiment is a success, modern hands may turn to render many an old opera acceptable to a twentieth-century audience.

M. de l'achmann's reception at the Queen's Hall last week may well have convinced him that the public will part from him with the deepest regret. He rose to the occasion; not only in the Chopin numbers, but in work by Weber and Schumann, he played with

"THE LAUGHING HUSBAND," AT THE NEW: MISS VIOLET GOULD AS LUCINDA.

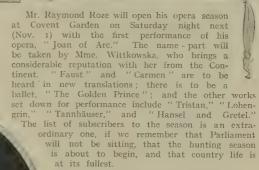




"THE LAUGHING HUSBAND": OTTAKAR BRUCKNER DISCOVERS HIS WIFE, HELLA, AND COUNT SELZTAL, THE PROFESSIONAL LOTHARIO. From left to right are Mr. Courtice Pounds as Ottakar Bruckner, Mr. George Carvey as Count Selztal, and Miss
Daisse Irving as Hella Bruckner.

exquisite delicacy and intuition. He has lost nothing of his power of giving new charm to the music that appeals to him, and, though it is not always easy to accept his readings, interpreter or executant, compel the deepest admirM. Jacques Thibaud and Mr. Harold Bauer gave a well-attended recital at Bechstein's last week. They played, interalia, a Brahms Sonata and the famous "Kreutzer" Sonata of Beethoven. Nothing could have been more complete than the understanding between the players, and the sonatas seemed to be the utterance of two people with one mind. Mr. Bauer's Schumann is sound and interesting rather than conventional; and M. Thibaud's Bach is full of a finely restrained enthusiasm, as though he felt it a privilege to be devoting his talent to such noble work.

will be revived on the old scale. That music has never been allowed to die at Syden-ham is very creditable to all con-cerned, and par-ticularly to Mr. Walter Hedgoock, the musical director. London music - lovers will wish all success to the fund.



& the Drama!

After an absence of nearly ten years, the Hallé Orchestra made an appearance in London on Sunday last under the auspices of the National Sunday League. The Palladium and the London Opera House were the theatres selected for the afternoon and evening concert respectively, and the orchestra was directed by Herr Michael Balling, who will be one of the conductors at Covent Garden during the Raymond oze season.

On Saturday next (Nov. 1) a special concert will be given at the Crystal Palace in aid of the Lord Mayor's Crystal Palace Fund. The London Symphony Orchestra and the Crystal Palace Orchestral Society and Choir will take part in the concert, which will be directed by Sir Frederic Cowen and Mr. Walter W. Hedgcock; while, among the many eminent soloists

e, among the many eminent soloists who have promised to give their services are Mesdames Donalda, Albani, Ada Crossley, and Phyllis Lett, and Messrs. Ben Davies and Walter Hyde. It is pleasant to see so many musicians coming forward to help the building in which so many happy musical memories are enshrined. It may be that if the shrined. It may be that if the house passes through the crisis that has threatened, its musical glories



THE LAUGHING HUSBAND," AT THE NEW MISS DAISIE IRVING AS HELLA BRUCKNER

THE "MYSTERY PAINTING" OF CHARLOTTE BRONTE: A DISCOVERY.

PHOTOGRAPH BY EMERY WALKER.



NOW THOUGHT TO BE A PORTRAIT OF A MISS MARY VICKERS CONVERTED INTO ONE OF CHARLOTTE BRONTE: THE NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY WATER-COLOUR, ON THE BACK OF WHICH A THIRD INSCRIPTION HAS COME TO LIGHT.

Our illustration shows the small portrait in water-colours, stated to be that of Charlotte Brontë and bearing the signature "Paul Heger, 1850," which is in the National Portrait Gallery. Two inscriptions have been known on the back of it. One of these reads: "The Wearin' of the Green [an allusion to the green dress of the sitter]; First since Emily's death." The other states that the drawing was made "by P. Hegér," from the life, in 1850. The other day Mr. Lionel Cust wrote to the "Times" that Mr. C. J. Holmes and himself had discovered that "on the back there had once been written in pencil a very faint, almost indecipherable, but still legible inscription, which indicated

that the portrait had been originally that of a Miss Mary Vickers . . . but had been converted at some time into a portrait of Charlotte Brontë, who, at all events, is clearly intended to be represented by the portrait in its present state." The wording is: "Portrait of Miss Mary Vickers." On the day after Mr. Cust's letter had been published, Mrs. Ellis H. Chadwick wrote to the "Times" to say that the re-investigation of the picture is entirely due to her, and that she is dealing with the question of the genuineness of the portrait in her forthcoming book, "In the Footsteps of the Brontes." Mrs. Chadwick asserts that the portrait cannot possibly be genuine.

THE BURNING OF THE AIR-SHIP "L 2": THE GREAT WRECK IN BERLIN.

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SHOWING A GREAT CLOUD OF FUMES ISSUING FROM THE EXHAUST: THE ILL-FATED GERMAN NAVAL DIRIGIBLE "L2" IN FLIGHT ON HER ARRIVAL AT THE AERODROME AT JOHANNISTHAL, CLOSE TO BERLIN.



SOME OF THE TWENTY-EIGHT WHO PERISHED: MEMBERS OF THE "L2'S" CREW, INCLUDING ARCHITECT OTTO NEUMANN (x) AND ENGINEER BUSCH (x x).



ALL THAT REMAINED OF THE "L2" AFTER THE DISASTER: THE TANGLED WRECKAGE OF THE ALUMINIUM FRAMEWORK OF THE GREAT GERMAN DIRIGIBLE.



WHEN IT WAS STILL BURNING: THE WRECKAGE OF THE DIRIGIBLE "L2" IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE DISASTER.

On the morning of October' 17 the new German naval dirigible "L2" came to swift destruction at Johannisthal, close to Berlin, while she was on one of her final trials. She was got out of her great shed at about a quarter past ten, took a turn round the ground, and then sailed westward, rising at a fairly sharp angle. She

she was ablaze and there were three loud reports. The envelope was destroyed on the instant, and the almost bare aluminium frame fell to the ground like a stone. Of the twenty-eight men aboard, twenty-seven were killed outright; the twenty-eighth died in hospital. The air-ship was carrying out a height-test with a larger crew had passed but two or three fields when a flame burst out forward. In a moment | than usual, in order to add to the weight. Her normal crew was three officers and

THE SINKING OF GERMANY'S FINEST DREADNOUGHT OF THE AIR.

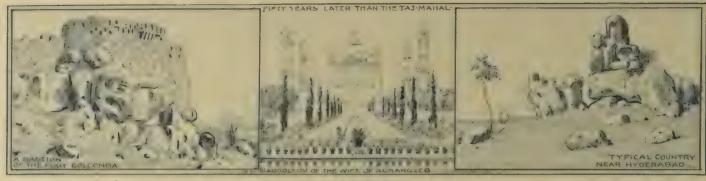
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THE ALMOST BARE FRAMEWORK OF THE "L 2" AS IT FELL LIKE A STONE AFTER THE FIRE AND THE EXPLOSIONS: A REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH SHOWING THE WRECK AND THE "WASH" OF SMOKE AND FLAME IT LEFT AS IT SPED TO EARTH.

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six men. The "L 2" was the finest unit of Germany's aerial fleet. She was 520 feet
long, had a diameter of 53 feet 7 inches, and displaced 27 tons. The eighteen separate
gas-bags in her envelope contained 27,000 cubic metres of hydrogen. She had three
cars. She cost £50,000. After the disaster the German Emperor said in a telegram:
"The grief at what has happened will, I am convinced, only be a spur to fresh efforts

to develop the so important air-ship arm into a trustworthy weapon of war." There was a suggestion that some escaping gas might have been ignited by the wireless-telegraphy apparatus. This, the "Times" said the other day, could not have been: "because, in order to compensate for the abnormally large crew carried, the air-ship had left behind the wireless transmitter as well as the searchlight and machine-guns."



DRAWINGS BY A. HUGH FISHER.

VIGNETTES OF EMPIRE. - XXII.

It is a common error to suppose that the British won India from the Moguls, for, as Sir W. W. Hunter has written, "our conclusive wars were neither with the Delhi King nor with his revolted Governors, but with the two Hindu confederacies, the Marathas and the Sikhs." It was one of those revolted Governors, Asaf Jah, a Turkoman general, who asserted his independence after the death of Aurangzeb, and established the dynasty of the Nizam and the kingdom of Hyderabad, which is by far the largest of the Native States of India. It has no great centres of modern industry, and the land where Mohammedans and Marathas fought for supremacy is full of towns which were once independent capitals, with walls and fortresses marking the former absence of settled government. Recently, however, slowly but surely, the conditions have been changing. The capital, Hyderabad, the fourth most populous city in India, is well ordered by efficient Afghan police; the Nizam has under him able Ministers; and nowhere in India

is there more eagerness for the better education of the children, both boys and girls.

At the Nizam's college, I found that the primary, or junior, boys are now taught by English ladies, which is significant of the progressive method being adopted in this Native State. The Nizam's army of forty thousand men is rather a survival of the traditions of a bygone age, but a more picturesque one remains in the body of Amazons (called Gardani) which, I was credibly informed, is still used to guard the interior of the zenana—mounting guard inside as the male sentries do without. They are generally very tall and stalwart, and dressed in a special sari.

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EASTERN OR WESTERN IN ORIGIN? THE GREAT WHEEL AND MERRY-GO-ROUND AT AN INDIAN FAIR.

The sight of a revolving wheel and a merry-go-round at an Indian fair raises the interesting question as to whether these familiar devices originally came from the East, or whether the East has adopted them from the customs of the West.

cities of the State, including the capital itself, Secunderabad, the largest military cantonment in India, with a parade-ground on which a brigade can manœuvre; Golconda, one of the old capitals, formerly famous for its trade in diamonds, Aurangabad, and Daulatabad. We travelled to Aurangabad (in the north-west

WHERE A RED-HOT IRON SHUTTER WAS USED AS A DEFENCE IN TIME OF SIEGE: THE FORT, DAULATABAD, A THIRTEENIH-CENTURY HINDU STRONGHOLD.

corner of the State) by the Nizam's railway. Outside Haidarabad the scenery was rather melancholy—small



AN AIR-COOLING DEVICE ON INDIAN TRAINS: KHUSKUS TATTIE ON THE NIZAM OF HYDER-ABAD'S STATE RAILWAY.

A turn of the projecting handle makes the circular grass mat (fixed in the window space) revolve in a trough of water, and as the train moves the rush of air passing through the wet grass helps to cool the compartment.

scrub, bare boulders, and masses of rock, sometimes piled up into little hills with rounded, water-worn, giant lumps propped one upon another in fantastic heaps. At first there was a good deal of rice and some maize, and a number of toddy palms looking disreputable and ill-shaped through frequent tapping at different stages of growth. Soon, however, these were left behind, and sparse trees and rocks filled all the landscape. My companion pointed out to me from Budnapur Station where General Wellesley (afterwards the Duke of Wellington) was encamped, and the way of his march to Assaye through a weird-looking country with long, low hills in terraces and plateaus. Quite close to Aurangabad is the famous

mausoleum of the wife of Aurangzeb, built some fifty years later than the Taj Mahal, in a similar style and arrangement. The gardens of this and a large tract of land adjoining are entirely worked by an important Agri-Horticultural school, in the establishment of which Dr. Hassan has been zealously active for some years. He was auxious to revive the grapegrowing, and although he found only a single vine when he began to revive the culture, there are

now no fewer than nineteen varieties of grapes in the vineyards at Aurangabad, and during the previous three years six thousand vines had been planted in the grounds of this Agri-Horticultural school. A lad who was working in the gardens was pointed out to me as coming from the Victoria Memorial Orphanage, a large institution founded entirely by local subscription, and by no means one of the least admirable memorials of Queen Victoria.

Daulatabad, or Deogiri, as it was formerly called, where I left the railway to visit the Caves of Ellora ten miles away, is an ancient Hindu stronghold where a vast, isolated mass of granite rock, 500 feet high,

and with a perpendicular scarp of over So feet all round it, made almost impregnable by Nature, was cut and tunnelled with such a series of passages and stairways that its exploration is a chapter of romance. Before reaching the upper fortifications and the pavilion which, after having been the residence of the Hindu Princess of Deogiri, became a favourite summer resort of Shah Jehan, we emerged with lamps from the darkness of a tunnelled passage and passed through an opening covered with an iron shutter to feet long, which in time of attack was made redhot, so that any besiegers who advanced so far would be checked by a fiery roof. But all the sieges of Deogiri are now centuries old, and such strongholds as this ancient fortress are but interesting back-numbers in a State which enjoys to-day the blessings of a settled government.

Leaving such engines of war as the iron shutter and the guns of the citadel, I watched at a country fair a few miles away Hindu and Mohammedan making holiday together, and riding side by side upon the weird steeds of an Indian merry-go-round, and in the cars of a "Great Wheel" of pleasure.

A. HUGH FISHER.



THE DEVELOPMENT OF VITICULTURE IN INDIA: GRAPE-VINES AND PAWPAW-IREES AT AURANGABAD.

In the vineyards of the Agri-Horticultural School at Aurangabad 6000 vines have lately been planted. Grape-culture in this district was formerly extensive (as Tavernier and other early travellers recorded), but had entirely dropped out till the present revival.

STILL A SYNONYM FOR FABULOUS WEALTH: GOLCONDA-THE FORT.

DRAWN BY A. HUGH FISHER.



TO BE VISITED BY THE VICEROY OF INDIA ON OCTOBER 29: THE FORT AT GOLCONDA, A RUINED CITY FORMERLY FAMOUS FOR ITS TRADE IN DIAMONDS.

Golconda, a ruined city seven miles from Hyderabad, was once itself the capital of a kingdom of the same name, and was so famous for diamonds that its name became proverbial as a symbol of wealth. The diamonds were not found at Golconda, but in a district in the south-east of the Nizam's territory, and were sent to Golconda to be cut and polished. The present Viceroy of India, Lord Hardinge, who left Simla district in the south-east of the Present Viceroy of India, Lord Hardinge, who left Simla district in the south-east of the Present Viceroy of India, Lord Hardinge, who left Simla district in the south-east of the Nizam's territory, and were sent to Golconda on October 29. Describing his drawing of the Fort, Mr. Hugh Fisher writes: "Under the vast boulders at the summit is seen nestling a Hindu temple, and, a little below this and to the right, a Mohammedan mosque. Golconda was formerly the capital of the third great Mohammedan dynasty of the Deccan, which was overthrown in 1687 by the Emperor Aurangzeb."

BY KINGLY COMMAND AND ROYAL WISHES: WEDDING-GIFTS ON SHOW.

DRAWN BY OUR SPECIAL ARTIST, S. BEGG.



THE ROYAL WEDDING-PRESENTS ON VIEW IN ST. JAMES'S PALACE, THAT A FUND MAY BE FORMED FOR THE RELIEF OF THE SUFFERERS BY THE UNIVERSAL COLLIERY DISASTER: THE PUBLIC INSPECTING THE GIFTS, IN THE BANQUETING-HALL.

Immediately after the terrible mine disaster in Wales there was published an official notice, in which it was said: "By command of the King, and by the wishes of Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught, the wedding-presents of their Royal Highnesses will be on view to the public in St. James's Palace daily (Sundays excepted), between the hours of 11 a.m. and 5 p.m., commencing on Saturday next, the 18th inst, at 2 p.m. A charge of one shilling per person will be made for admission, the proceeds to form

a fund which will be devoted to the relief of the sufferers by the Universal Colliery Disaster at Senghenydd." No time was lost by the people in taking advantage of this special display, and men, women, and children of all ranks have passed through the Banqueting-Hall to see the gifts. Visitors were allowed also to inspect various other rooms. In the three hours during which the presents were on view on the Saturday, 2735 people paid their shillings for admission to see the "sight."

LADIES' SUPPLEMENT FOR OCTOBER.



A CANINE COQUETTE: MRS. KNOWLES' CHAMPION MINIATURE POODLE "FANCHETTE OF HOOK."

On this page and Page VII. of the Ladies' Supplement we continue the series of "Woman's Cult of the Dog," the breed illustrated being that most vertable of the canine race, the Foodle.

SIMPLE ATTIRE FOR BRIDE AND BRIDESMAIDS AT A COUNTRY WEDDING.



A BRIDE IN TULLE, AND COSTUMES FOR BRIDESMAIDS AND FOR A PAGE OF HONOUR.

The illustrations of dresses for a bride and bridesmaids which we give on this page are eminently suited for a quiet country wedding, being of the most simple description and yet picturesque and charming. The bride's dress is entirely composed of tulle: the skirt has several flounces with a tiny line of orange-blossom heading each flounce. A simall bouquet of lillies, roses, and orange-blossom is placed in the belt, and the tulle veil is worn over a wreath of the same flowers. The page's costume is white satin with a wide pale-blue sash tied in a bow at one side and collar and cuffs of Venetian point

BIG-GAME SHOTS AND DEERSTALKERS: WELL-KNOWN SPORTSWOMEN.

PHOTOGRAPHS BY BARNETT, HICKLING, HOPPE, THOMSON, TOPICAL, SPEAIGHT, LALLIE CHARLES, AND SWAINE



"The Englishwoman's Year-Book" states that among ladies who have attained distinction in big-game shooting are Miss Agnes Herbert, Lady Constance Stewart-Richardson, Mrs. Alan Gardner, Lady Minto, the Duchess of Aosta, Lady Juliet Duff, and Lady Swaythling.

^{3.} THE DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER.

^{5.} THE DUCHESS OF AOSTA.

^{7.} LADY SWAYTHLING.

^{9.} MISS AGNES HERBERT.

^{4.} THE COUNTESS OF MINTO.

^{6.} MRS. MURRAY GUTHRIE. 8. LADY JULIET DUFF.

^{10.} LADY CONSTANCE STEWART - RICHARDSON.

Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata": A Matteau Picture and Post-Impressionism as Inspirations for Schemes of Decoration.

FROM AUTOCHROME PLATES SPECIALLY TAKEN FOR "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS" AT THE IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION













- INSPIRED BY POST-IMPRESSIONISM: A ROOM, DESIGNED BY ROGER FRY, WHERE EVERYTHING, EVEN THE FURNITURE AND ORNAMENTS. IS CUBIST.
- 2. A NURSERY WITH A FRIEZE WHICH REPRESENTS THE
 SEA; DESIGNED BY MR. H. K. PROSSOR AND
 MR. GEOFFREY HOLME.
- 3. WHERE THE MOVEMENT OF MOONLIGHT ON WATER
 15 SUGGESTED: BEETHOVEN'S "MOONLIGHT SONATA"
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- t. A ROOM THAT IS DESIGNED BY MR. H. K. PROSSOR TO
 "LEAD UP" TO A SMALL PICTURE: THE WATTEAU
 BOUDDIR.
- A GENERAL VIEW OF THE SEA-GIRT NURSERY, WHERE REVERSIBLE CUSHIONS GIVE A DIFFERENT COLOUR-SCHEME FOR BRIGHT OR DULL DAYS.
- 6. SILVER AND TURQUOISE BLUE TO EXPRESS A COM-POSITION BY BEETHOVEN: THE COLOUR-SCHEME OF THE "MOONLIGHT SONATA" ROOM.

- Several rooms which struck a distinct note of novelty in decorative designing were on exhibition at the Ideal Home Exhibition. Perhaps the most original was the room impired by Beethoven's "Meenlight Sonata" and carried out, by Mr. H. K. Prosor, in which the central idea is the serenity of meoniti water, which has been interpreted through the medium of a viried turquoise-blue pile carpet and wall-paper, with custions of dark-blue and jet and low wall-seats of dark blue. To suggest and wall-paper, with custions of dark-blue and jet and low wall-seats of dark blue. To suggest and wall-paper are at night, the windows are screened by a light silk net encrusted with jet, which shimmers with the lightest draught. There are no chairs in the room, with the exception of a piano-chair shaped like a Greek lute, which is of silver. The piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of silver. Another commissions of the piano is also of the piano is
- concentrating the attention upon the picture. Its curtains are of shot-silk to represent a blue sky with roses, the buss of which repeat the colour-scheme of the picture. The nursely Nos., 2 and g) has been designed in two parts, a day and a night nursery, of which we show only the day nursery. The friese round this room represents a sea upon which salls as says of the "Columbus" type. On the theory that children are strongly influenced by the colours surrounding them, the designers have used a number of reversible cushions in their scheme. On bright, sunny days the sides that are covered with calm blues and greens will be exposed; while on doul days the gold-and-orange sides will be turned upgarment. The Cubist room designed by Mr. Roger Fry will appeal to all lovers of Port-limpressionism, as even the ornaments, the chairs, the curtains, and the wall-hanging, are carried out in the Cubist style.



When the best blowers of the year in the utmost per fection. People imply, in a light and airy way, that the Christmas rose may be picked in the border in the depths of winter, and that the violet flourishes from November to April. And so they do, if properly treated, but not, certainly, in an overcrowled, mixed border.

Many good gardeners now despise these mixed cottage borders, however well done, and say there is no beauty in mixed colours and flowers, some coming on and some going off: and they are disposed to say that the herbaceous border, in the old English cottage sense, is not worth doing. I do not agree with this, though perhaps what they say is, in a sense, true—that there is no repose, no form, no drawing, no colour even, as one plant is apt to kill another in more senses than one. I think, perhaps, a teeling is growing among the best gardeners that even in moderate-sized gardens certain portions must be left alone, and devoted to different plants in beauty at different seasons. Flower-lovers must make up their own minds how they best like to treat their herbaceous borders. I cling very much to the idea of having something to pick for eight months in the year. I send away a great many cut flowers. If you are content to have your mixed border only beautiful for two or three months in the year that six not so timent. I know a broad, handsome border, under a high wall, which is broken up into compartments divided by narrow stone paths, and the colours are kept apart—blue, yellow, red and crimson, and grey and violet mixed. The citect is very unusual and bandsome border, under a high wall, which is broken up into compartments divided by narrow stone paths, and the colours are kept apart—blue, yellow, red and crimson, and grey and violet mixed. The citect is very unusual and handsome border to so not come to perfection—being nearly all planted out in May—till nearly the end of July, when, if not renewed from a reserve garden or with plants that dill have been and uncommon of the campanulas. Acontum nearl

mulched it is one of the handsomest of autumn flowers Monarda didyma (Beehandsomest of autumn flowers Monarda didyma (Beehalm) is a favourite red plant, and looks well near the white phloxes. Coloured phloxes have to be carefully labelled when put away in the reserve garden in the autumn, as, though most useful plants, their colours often war one against the other.

All the spreading blue lobelias are lovely in the front of beds or growing out of the front of large pots. I don't like the "compact" lobelias at all, but gardeners favour them. Sutton sells four of the spreading ones, Speciosa (dark-blue), Paxioniana (light-blue), Gracilis (blue), and Grandiflora (cobalt-blue), which are very pretty hanging down in pot or basket. The beautiful red lobelia with

dark foliage they call "Queen Victoria" is supposed to be a perennial, but it has to be treated as a biennial, as it dies here whether we take it up or leave it alone.

The garden rather runs to yellow in August, but Spartuon junceum (rush-broom) is a plant I think no garden should be without. It grows well on a flat, sunny tank, chopped bac's hard every war after flowering, or, as a nupright shrub, treated in the same way. The flower is a beautiful clear yellow even by candle-light.

Phloxes are the great stand-by for colour, and they have been immensely improved of late. The white one is the one that does best in the borders here. The others are better grown in a reserve bed in good soil. They move well on a dry, sunless day, and must be watered till it rains.

Hollyhocks planted in spring from the seed-bed are an immense help if set in groups in appropriate places with a dark background. I never grow any but the single ones; the soil is not strong enough. And, indeed, I think the single ones the prettiest: they are supposed to have



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apparently unkillable if left alone. *Œ. Macrecarpa* is the low-growing one with large yellow flowers. Sutton catalogues some new kinds I have not yet tried. The large ox-eyed daisies are very useful. Chrysanthemum maximum is good, and King Edward VII. a very handsome variety. Echinops Ritro (Globe thistle) and Eryngium Oliverianum are both tall-growing, drought-resisting plants at the end of the summer.

For those who have wide, open borders that can be well prepared in May, the great stand-by in late summer are the best annuals grown in masses—the white and pink Malope, Lavulera trimestris, double godetia, tall snapdragons—which have been greatly improved of late and only spoilt by the dwarf kinds, which are really ugly. Gaura iindheimeri, the dwarf blue delphiniums, are lovely, and some are perennials, but they don't hve through the winter here.

Nothing is so educating for the amateur as regards annuals and biennials as the two catalogues of Ryder and Son, St. Albans (penny seed packets), and Thompson and Morgan, of Ipswich. Nothing but knowledge of soil and aspect and experience can make good borders out of annuals and biennials, but when successful, they are very good indeed, and give any amount of flowers for picking till quite late in the year. Most of the really hardy plants are best sown in September. The new hybrida, is a bright lovely coloured daisy about a foot high. Gaillardias and scabious both do better here autumn-sown. Clarkias sown in pots in the autumn and kept under glass make lovely plants for house or conservatory in early spring. "Firefly" and "Scarlet Beauty," which I saw so grown last spring, were graceful and effective.

Two shrubs I know flower late in the year. One called Pavia, or Æscarlet Beauty," which I saw so grown last spring and pruning of shrubs is, I think, the part least understood still in English gardening, which in all other respects has made such great strides in the last twenty years. The best modern book that I know to Trees and Shrubs." By E. T. Cook, published by C

Life, 1902.

I can advise anyone who cares for peculiar greenhouse flowers in winter to buy now from Veitch a plant of Bryophyllum Calveinum. It is easily increased if cut down after flowering, as every leaf will grow that is laid on wet peat in a mild stoweheat, It flowers in January or February, does well in water, has a long stem, the lower part clothed with pretty - shaped leaves ending in a number of drooping green bells just touched with bright pink. Delicate, just touched with bright pink. Delicate, graceful, and very uncommon, all flower-lovers admire it and immediately ask me its terrible long name, which I never can remember. I have never seen it grown anywhere. It comes from India, and its name is derived from bryo, to sprout, and phyllon, a loat.



THE QUEEN MAKE CONSTANTIUMEN (), INCHES ACROSS AND 8 INCHES DREP), A PURE WHITE JAPANESE VARPETY THAT HAS RECEIVED MORE HONOURS THAN ANY OTHER IN EXISTENCE.

(2) THE "MRS. GEORGE LLOYD WIGG," A HUGE YELLOW JAPANESE REACHING AS MUCH AS 10] INCHES ACROSS AND 10 INCHES DEED.

(3) THE "MR. K. Lex-FORD" (7 INCHES BY 9 INCHES), A PURK WHUTE JAPANESE.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHRYSANTHEMUM: NEW AND BEAUTIFUL VARIETIES.

Photographical at the Chrysanthemum Nurveries, Merstham, by Courtess of Messys, W. Wells and Co., Ltd.

been brought by seed to England by the Crusaders. It. It is easy to keep the best colours, by cutting back and taking up strong plants as soon as they have done flowering and dividing them with a sharp knife. Care must be taken that each division has a good share of roots and at least one shoot. Plant these divisions in a shady bed but not under the drip of trees. They remain here till March and are then planted where they are to flower. Chrotheras are a most valuable family of plants for light soils. Even the ordinary evening primrose is most useful if transplanted, for it sows itself freely, and must often be pulled up; it is a handsome and valuable plant. C. Fraseri is a low-growing kind and

Here is a good lentil soup:—Put a l lb. of brown German lentils to soak in cold water the day before they are wanted; boil them up over a hot fire, being careful to cover them, and only put enough water to soak them. Let the fire be less fierce when they begin to cook, and keep adding water in which vegetables have been boiled, especially celery. Remove from the surface any scum or skins. Fry brown in butter a tablespoonful of flour with an onion and pour into the lentil soup gradually, stirring all the time; add more vegetable stock it necessary. The Germans add some whole lentils cooked apart, and some little squares of potato.

WOMAN'S CULT OF THE DOG: No. VII.-THE POODLE.

THE PAINTINGS BY MAUD EARL, PHOTOGRAPHED BY LAIB; AND PHOTOGRAPHS BY CASSTINE.



ACCOMPLISHED ACROBATS, ACUTE TRUFFLE-HUNTERS, AND LEARNED FRIENDS: CHAMPION POODLES.

Mentally and bodily the poodle is the most versatile of the canine race: in fact, its potentialities have never yet been fully exploited. As to intelligence, it is the only dog that (under Lord Avebury's training) has hitherto learned to read up to words of four letters; and although the poodle in question failed in arithmetic, that very failure makes it the more closely human. Its physical adaptability is equally marvellous. When required to be large, it was so, standing 26 inches at shoulder and weighing 60 lb.; when fashion decreed it should be tiny, it immediately became so, under the aegis of the Miniature Poodle Club, and was under 14 inches, and weighed 15 lb. When great-coats were the vogue, poodles grew themselves vast cords of rope, each cord 36 inches long and trailing 12 inches on the ground, so that when they leaped in air

it was like a giant tassel under stress of emotion. When cords went out and curls came in, they produced so thick and fine a coat that it has been woven into an excellent fabric for a waistooat. When the Poodle Club was the sole ruling body for the breed, and there was some idea it came from Germany, the German colours were the only wear, and white, black, or red poodles the only specimens. When the Curly Poodle Club was formed, and French records were traced, they at once developed more delicate nuances, and blossomed into apricot, blue, silver-grey, chocolate, cream, mousegrey, and other smart and attractive toilettes. They are excellent sporting dogs, staunch friends, acute truffle-hunters, keen watch-dogs, accomplished acrobats, and learned friends. The country of poödle-origin is unknown: this dog is a cosmopolitan.

FROCKS FROM "TANGOVILLE": DRESSES FOR THE TANGO TEA.

SPECIALLY DRAWN FOR "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS" BY MANON.





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LORD ALVERSTONE'S SUCCESSOR: THE NEW LORD CHIEF.

PHOTOGRAPH BY WALTON ADAMS.



LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF ENGLAND: THE RIGHT HON. SIR RUFUS ISAACS, K.C.V.O.

On October 20 it was announced that the King had been pleased to approve the appointment of the Right Hon. Sir Rusus Isaacs, K.C.V.O., Attorney-General, to be Lord Chief Justice of England in succession to Lord Alverstone, resigned. The new Lord Chief, who is fifty-three, is very popular at the Bar. He has had a career well described by that much-abused word "romantic." As a boy, he lest the home of his father, a merchant in London, to go to sea; where he served before the mast. After this he went on the Stock Exchange; there fortune was not kind to him, and



SCIENCE JOTTINGS.

"CAN THE ETHIOPIAN CHANGE HIS SKIN?" POOR, tearful Jeremiah, among other At any rate, he seems to have been one of

the first to hint at the importance of a study of the coloration of animals. But, like Rosa Dartle, who was born quite a long time afterwards, he perchance merely asked for information when he raised the question, "Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots?" But perhaps he was sure of the answer, and merely meant to be sarcastic. The world, at any rate, has had to wait very patiently for an answer—something approaching 2500 years!

The answer to the first part of the question is in the negative. The answer to the second is in the affirmative—with qualifica-

There are black leopards which to most people are spotless. But carefully examined, in certain lights, the spots are still discernible. Such exceptions apart, there is no evidence that the leopard during the whole course of its existence ever wears anything but a spotted livery. Of some of its relatives, however, this is by no means true.

The lion and the puma afford cases in point. In their adult stages these animals point. In their adult stages these animals are of a uniform tawny hue. But this is by no means true of their infantile stages, for then both are spotted. But they wear their spots with a difference. In the young lion which I have been enabled to photograph by the courtesy of Messrs. Rowland Ward, the grote is no far at their spot has Ward, the spots, in so far as they can be traced, are rosette-shaped, or, rather, have the form of irregular rings; while across the hind-leg they run together to form transverse bars. This particular animal, however, is rather exceptional in the indistinctness of its markings. I have seen specimens much more distinctly marked. There are, indeed, animals in the Gardens of the Zoological Society, nearly full-grown, which are more distinctly marked than this. As a rule, the spots along the back run in distinct

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longitudinal rows, indicating a still earlier livery, wherein the markings took the form of longitudinal stripes, a type of coloration common to young animals of all kinds and a great number of adults.

The photograph of the young puma is that of one of a litter born in the Gardens of the Zoological



IS FIRED, INSTEAD OF INSIDE.

The invention here illustrated provides a method by which a small gun can fire a large projectile; and, although it cannot be said that the device has been widely adopted, it seems apparent that the idea has a future. The mounting of the gun, which is of metal, is comparatively light and thus easy of transport, and can be fixed rigidly on such a position as the side of a hill. Its size makes it possible also to conceal it in trenches. The "shell," as the illustrations show, is of very considerable size when compared with the gun; and, of course, its stem alone is inserted in the muzzle. When the gun is fired both bomb and stem are projected; but, by means of a special device, the stem is detached from the bomb almost immediately, to fall to the ground while the bomb pursues its course. The invention owes its being to a young engineer in the Krupp factory. The bomb is said to be particularly deadly, but the nature of its contents is, needless to say, a secret. It is reported that the German General Staff, recognising, particularly, its mobility, will adopt the weapon as a siege-gun.

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Society during the latter part of the summer. Herein, it will be noticed, the spots are much more distinct than in the

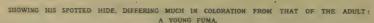
young lion, and that they are solid. They
also, on the back, show a tendency to run
into longitudinal lines. The forehead is distinctly striped, and the tail is ringed.

> Owing to the superficial similarity in their markings, the puma, or South American lion, as it is sometimes called, and the lion were supposed to be near relations. A more careful study of their markings and of their anatomy has shown that this view is untenable.

> If we are now able to say that the leopard can change his spots, we are quite unable to say why he should be able to do unable to say why he should be able to do so. They have apparently been discarded in the adult stage because no longer useful. But this seems to imply that they are useful in the juvenile stages of growth. We have, however, no sort of evidence that this is the case. Since, in the infantile stage, they are never left exposed by their parentless, are nevertise scientifies. parents, a protective coloration, such as a spotted livery is supposed to form, seems to be quite unnecessary. We must suppose, then, that it is reminiscent of an earlier ancestral adult-dress, which is in process of climination. It has lingered till to-day because there has been no need to speed tis departure. This retention of discarded adult characters by the young is no new thing among animals. Such remnants are so many proofs that "The old order changeth, yielding place to new." The skeleton and the muscles afford dozens of similar instances. They are so many landmarks of evolution: but for them, indeed, the work of tracing animal pedigrees would be almost impossible.

> In this matter of evidence furnished by coloration the different liveries worn by the male and female often afford valuable aid. But in the carnivores such sexual differences are wanting, save in the case of the lion, wherein the male wears a more release recognitions wherein the male wears a more release recognitions was a which is composed. or less conspicuous mane, which is supposed to serve as a shield in fighting. But that is another story.
>
> W. P. PYCRAFT.







SHOWING TRACES OF AN ANCESTRAL SPOTTED LIVERY; BUT NOT MARKED AS STRONGLY AS SOME OF HIS KIND: A YOUNG LION,

COUSINS OF THE EARTH: PLANETS-THEIR SURFACES.-No. III. VENUS.

DRAWN BY SCRIVEN BOLTON, F.R.A.S.



THE CELESTIAL BEACON; THE PLANET THAT HANGS ON THE SHORES OF EVE AND MORN LIKE A JEWEL;
AT ONE TIME BELIEVED TO BE THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM.



WHEN NEAREST THE EARTH YENUS THE TO THE PROPERTY OF TO US; HENCE OUR KNOWLEDGE OF ITS SURFACE IS COMPARATIVELY SOATHY.



THE VENUSIAN ALPS (MARKED A) ON MAY 1508, 1600. ESTIMATED AT 40 INLES IN HEIGHT, THEY PROJECT ABOVE THE CLOUD CANOPY.



THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN DAY AND NIGHT IS FREQUENTLY DISTORTED. SUCH A FHENOMENON IS EXPLAINED IN PART BY AN UPRUSH OF HEATED AIR, AND BY ATMOSPHERIC COMPRESSION INFLUENCED BY COLD CURRENTS.





A FAINT CONCEPTION OF THE VENUSIAN GLACIAL CONDITIONS WHICH MUST OBTAIN EVEN AT THE EQUATOR IN THE FRIGID SUNLESS HEMISPHERE.

THE VERY ANTIPODES OF EARTHLY CONDITIONS: A WORLD WHICH KEEPS ONE HEMISPHERE TURNED PERPETUALLY TOWARDS THE SUN—THIS SUNLIT HALF MUST BE TERRIBLY SCORCHED; THE NIGHT-SIDE PERPETUALLY ICE-COATED.

Since "the beginning of things" Venus has had one hemisphere fixed stolidly sunwards. We can well imagine that the sunit half possesses a temperature infinitely greater than the planet's night-side. Indeed, the heat, incessantly accumulating in the scorched hemisphere, must inevitably produce an uprush of heated air from the scorched surface. Such an uprush must be compensated for by a tremendous inrush of cold air from the dark, frigid side. Along the boundary between the two hemi-

spheres a violent rainfall must be perpetuated by the transference of cold from the frigid to the torrid hemisphere. The sun-parched side is exposed to a heat twice as fierce as our tropics, while in the glacial side the very air itself is perhaps liquefied, if not solidified. Many unsuccessful attempts have been made to reconcile the visions of the Magi with the brilliance of Venus. At the historical date in question Venus and other bright objects were not visible.

SUGGESTING THE FIGURES ON EASTER ISLAND: COLOSSI FROM LEIPZIG.

PHOTOGRAPHS BY C.N.



REMARKABLE DETAIL OF THE GREAT MEMORIAL SET UP TO COMMEMORATE THE BATTLE OF THE NATIONS: FIGURES IN THE CRYPT CONSECRATED TO THE DEAD.



DETAIL OF "A SYMBOL OF GERMAN STRENGTH AND GERMAN UNITY, ERECTED BY THE DEVOTION OF GERMAN PATRIOTS":

THE FIGURE OF ST. MICHAEL ON THE LEIPZIG MEMORIAL.

The great monument set up at Leipzig to commemorate that Battle of Leipzig, called "the Battle of the Nations," in which the allied Prussians, Russians, Austrians, and Swedes beat the French, under Napoleon, in 1813, and so virtually secured the liberation of Germany, was dedicated on October 18. Among the King of Saxony's guests for the occasion were the German Emperor, the Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria, the Grand Duke Cyril of Russia, the Crown Prince of Sweden, and the Sovereign Princes of Germany. The King of Saxony described the monument as a

symbol of German strength and German unity, erected by the devotion of German patriots, and prayed that it might recall to the generations yet unborn the scene of that day—Germans, Russians, Austrians, Hungarians, and Swedes bowing the knee in reverence before God, the Almighty Pilot of the World's history, and praying to Him to preserve the peace. Those of our readers who remember our illustration of the remarkable statues on Easter Island cannot fail to see a resemblance between those curious colossal heads and the great heads in the crypt of the Leipzig Memorial.



ART NOTES.

THE Loan Collections at the "Tate" serve a double purpose—they are interesting in themselves, and they help to dispel the over-sugared associations of a gallery once given over to the least important schools of modern art. There is, perhaps, a happy time coming when the Curator, his conscience fortified by the goodwill of private

CONTAINING THE ORIGINAL PLASTER OF THE LATE LORD SALISBURY'S TOMB: THE TEMPLE COURT IN THE BRITISH ARTS AND CRAFTS GALLERY AT GHENT EXHIBITION.

The British Arts and Crafts display at Ghent was organised by Sir Isidore Spielmann, Hon. Director for Art of the Exhibitions Branch of the Board of Trade, assisted by a Committee under the Chairmanship of Sir Gecil Smith. The Gallery has three sections—the Temple, the Garden, and the Home. The Temple section is in the form of a miniature church, and contains the original plaster of the tomb of the late Marquess of Salisbury in Westminster Abbey,—[Photograph by Nauron, British].

owners, may be able to make room for really ample gatherings of important pictures. And how easy and exhilarating that process of making room would be !

The Blake Exhibition includes about a hundred and fifty paintings, drawings, engravings, sets of engravings, and books. These, with the help of Mr. Archibald Russell's catalogue raisonné, and with Mr. Chesterton's "Blake," carried, like our "Ruskins" of old, to be read at convenient moments on the road or in the tea-interval, afford a sufficient opportunity of knowing the artist who of all artists is most difficult to know. Among these

examples we may pick our way through the strange tangle of visions and of commonplaces; through the web of Flaxman-like conventions—conventions which, even if iBlake taught them to Flaxman, we connect, by common consent, with the lesser draughtsman—and the rude splendour of the simple wood-cuts. Blake is the most difficult of artists to know because it is impossible to catch him by any of the ordinary rules of hide-and-seek; nor did he know himself. When he thought himself most inspired he was probably most obedient to a dull, contemporary rule of inspiration; when he seems, at the first glance, to have capitulated to the insipid formula of his time, one discovers, at a second, that it was just then that Blake's thought had really clashed its wings in unison with the angels.

The town abounds with pictures. There are admirable works by Gauguin, Cézanne, and Van Gogh at the Doré Gallery; thus quickly have the turnstiles of Bond Street swung round from the position of initial exclusion. The "Masterpieces" of old are as sailed in their stronghold; their very walls hold; their very walls are taken. In Sutfolk Street, at the Royal Society of British Artists, there is Sir Alfred East's portrait of himself, destined for the Uffizi; there is the alleged faked "Char-lotte Brontë" at the National Portrait Galhational Portrait Gal-lery, which has lately been arousing much in-terest, and of which, it may be mentioned, a reproduction ap-

a reproduction appears upon another page of this issue. Mr. Lionel Cust seeks to link the portrait with what he terms the Paul Hegger mystery, and so postpone the moment for rejecting its last claims to authenticity. There is little "mystery" in the Paul Heger affair; there seems to be no "mystery" in the portrait sufficient to cover the fact that it likeness of Miss Mary Vickers, accordidiscovered inscription on the back.

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Mr. Coburn's "Camera Pictures"—we used to call them photographs—at the Goupil Gallery are various and interesting. The Yosemite Valley, the Grand Canyon, New York, and thirty-three "men of mark" have all lent their features to this most enterprising and successful of "camera artists." The portraits are, as such things go, particularly happy; there has never been so large a gathering of photographs—I apologise, but it is impossible to avoid the word—so uniformly excellent. The "Charles Shannon," the "Max Beerbohm," and the "George Meredith" are among the best things of their kind ever done—and in their kind must be included the work of Mrs. Julia Margaret Cameron. But even Mr. Coburn cannot always keep the peace between his sitters and the camera. Mr. Henry James, Mr. Arthur Symons, Mr. William Orpen, and Mr. Hilaire Belloc wear the expression of specialists in consultation round a sick bed, and one at least of these sitters seems already to have undertaken the responsibilities attending an unfortunate sequel to the



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WILLS AND BEQUESTS.

THE will (dated Jan. 5, 1913) of Mr. John Pierpont Morgan, of New York, and Princes' Gate, S.W., who died on March 31, is proved in London, and the value of the estate in this country sworn at £1,179,831. He gives £200,000, with power of appointment thereover, £20,000 a year, and the use of his town and country residences, to his wife; £000,000 in trust for each of his daughters Louisa P. Satterlee, Juliet P. Hamilton, and Anne Tracy Morgan; £200,000 each to his sons-in-law Herbert L. Satterlee and Wm. P. Hamilton; £100,000 in support of the Ministry of St. George's Church; £20,000 to the Protestant Episcopal Missionary Stations; 20,000 in trust for the Home of Rest for Consumptives; "the same assistance as I have been in the habit of giving "to the Lying-in Hospital, "as long as my son may think it needs it"; £5000 a year to Dr. James W. Makloe, to be

Tracy and Julia N. Brown; a piece of silver to each member of the Corsair Club as a souvenir and token of personal affection; £10,000 to Miss Green, his librarian; £5000 to his private secretary, Charles King; £3000 to his valet; and legacies to persons in the employ of his firm and to servants. The residue of his property, including his art collections, he leaves to his son John Pierpont Morgan, and he hoped his son would be able to make permanent disposition of such collection for the pleasure and instruction of the American people.

The will (dated Oct. 20, 1000) of Mr. WILLIAM NAINEY.

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The will (dated Oct. 20, 1909) of Mr. WILLIAM NAINBYis proved by his wife and son and daughter, the value of
the estate being £108,357. The testator gives £500 to
his wife and during widowhood the use of his residence
and £1000 a year, or an annuity of £500 should she again
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property at Immingham and Stallingborough to his son
and daughter; the Thorganby
estate in trust for his daughter
and her issue; the Barnoldby estate in trust for his
son Charles Francis Manby
Nainby and his issue; £100
to his cook; an annuity of
£25 to his servant Alice
Ross; and the residue to
his son.

his son.

The will (dated Feb. 11, 1913) of MISS ELLEN ELIZABETH BOND, of The Elms. 31,
Arlington Road, Twickenham
Park, who died on Sept. 19,
is proved by Colonel Bowes
L. Eman and George Knox
Morre. the value of the
property being £74,202. The
testatrix gives £10,000 each
to her nephews Henry Kendall
Bond, Bernard Bacon Bond
and Ernest Walter Bond;
£10,000 in trust for her niece
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Mildmay Mission to the modern lines. Here such Midmay Mission to the Jews, the Social amenites. Midmay Mission to the Jews, and the Church Missionary Society; £200 to St. John's Hospital, Twickenham; and the residue to her said three nephews and niece.



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A FINE WILLIAM AND MARY MARQUETERIE CABINET IN ORIGINAL CONDITION,

As mentioned on our Ladies' Page, Messrs. Harrod's exhibition of antiques and French furniture contains many genume old pieces which come up to museum standard. They possess, however, a greater attraction than museum exhibits, as they can be acquired at moderate prices.

The will of Mr. Michael Maybrick, "Stephen Adams," the well-known song-writer, of Lynthorpe, Ryde, Isle of Wight, who died on Aug. 26, is proved, the value of the property being £43,012 28. 7d. The testator leaves everything to his wife absolutely, and appoints her sole

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LADIES' PAGE.

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It is really a wonderful thing to get married when it implies the arrival of such store of splendour as the gifts that turned the spacious Queen Anne's Chamber of St. James's Palace into an Aladdin's cave for the royal bride. Eancy being just a gift—a girl of the highest rank and a great heiress certainly, but nevertheless in that condition in life in which only a few and very simple ornaments are worn, and her very own turnture is confined to the contents of her own chamber and boudoir and all of a sudden to be not only a wife, but loaded with these lovely jewels, these fine antique pieces of furniture, these silver and gift and ormolu and enamel objects of ornament and use! As usual, there are numerous duplicates. Twenty cigarette-boxes and nearly as many watches and clocks have overwhelmed the bridegroom; the bride can open her letters with any one of ten paper knives; and there are numerous rose-bowls, photograph frames, inkstands, ornate blotters, and the bke, just as in the ordinary bridal-present lists. But far from ordinary were many of the superb jewels and other objects on view in the Palace. The Fife ancestral plate, handed on by the bride's mother to the bearer of her late husband's title, made a magnificent display; a complete dessert-ervice in chased silver-gilt, with four nine-light ormolu candelabra, and three large silver-gilt flower-bowls, looked regal, set forth on a long table. The Princess Royal gave her daughter also some lace, and a bracelet and a collar, both set with diamonds, rubies, and sapphires; these were marked in homely fashion: "From Mother," Then there were from the same loving donor a handsome antique diamond brooch, a fitted dressing-case, and a work-box.

The King and Queen gave a truly royal gift—a diamond tiara, of a rather solid design, a band going all round the head, rising a little wider in front; it contains many hundreds of brilliants, with a very large and fine central stone. Queen Alexandra gave another tiara, and also an Indian collar of immense emeralds set with diamonds. Very handsome was another collar in brilliants, the design stars and crescents, given by an Indian Prince; and vet another lovely diamond necklace came from Lord and Lady Farquhar. As was appropriate, the King and Queen of Spain sent the bride a handsome antique fan; and also sent to the bridegroom sleeve-links in moonstones and diamonds. The Emperor of Japan's gift was beautiful—a cabinet of gold lacquer enclosed in an oak case. The Empress Eugénie selected for her gift a set of dessertchna, in white, with dark-bluesand-gold rim, and the badge of the Order of the Garter in the centre of each piece Prince and Princess Christian's gift is an antique carved-oak chest-of-drawers or commode set on high legs. A very fine present is made by the combination of the Marchioness of Anglesey and her husband with their near relatives—namely, the Star of the Garter in diamonds that was formerly the property of the Duke of Cambridge.



THE CHARM OF THE TEA-GOWN.

Lord and Lady Strathcona gave a diamond brooch and a motor-car. The last-named, as well as the three dogs given — one a Yorkshire terrier from the Duke and Duchess of Teck—were not on show, naturally, but the fine Queen Anne's Room seemed to hold almost everything that is desirable. It was quite a happy inspiration to allow the public to see the presents at a small charge for the benefit of the poor families bereaved by the mine accident.

Vet in this fascinating Metropolis there are often opportunities of seeing all that heart can desire or art produce in the ordinary course of business. Of this there is a proof at the moment in the superb collection of Antiques and French furniture newly placed on view as a special collection at Messrs, Harrod's Stores. Antique pieces of furniture are so beautiful because they are the survivals, the selection, of many generations. Those at Harrod's are the fine flower of their day. The satinwood furniture, sometimes inlaid, sometimes painted charmingly, is particularly beautiful. But the old mahogany puts in a claim at once for equal admiration that is hard to resist; and walnut and old oak pieces each have their special beauty and value. There is one great advantage in viewing such pieces in the show-rooms at Harrod's over seeing the like furnishing gems in a museum (and nearly every piece now on show at Harrod's is well worthy of museum display); for here, one can become the happy possessor of any article that takes one's fancy—the really remarkably moderate price being forthcoming, of course! There is also now at Harrod's a fine display of tapestries, which are so gracious and refined a decoration for the halls of country houses, or for any good-sized apartment, giving a cachet all its own to any such chamber. This is a display not to be missed by any artistic woman.

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For some time past, there has been little difference between alternoon gowns of the smarter and evening frocks of the simpler order. We seem to be progressing to the moment when the like similarity will obtain between the head-gear of out-doors and the coffure decorations of evening. Slowly but steadily fashion has set in the direction of wrapping round the hair with some ornamentation: a handsome piece of brocade, or a swathe of tulle, or velvet, or a wide band of beaded trimming or pearl-embroidery; and then a feather or aigrette projecting more or less obtrusively at the side or back, or an ospry plume immediately above the brow—it is at the wearer's choice, so long as considerable decoration of some kind is indulged in for the head. Well, now, this is leading to close-fitting turban and helmet-like coverings that almost conceal the hair, very much as do the fashionable toques in the day-time. In the new Drury Lane autumn drama, the tradition of this play showing the most advanced fashions, strictly correct and in good style, is adhered to, and one of the most striking features of the admirable dress review is this tendency almost to conceal the hair with decoration in evening array.

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is more indispensable yet more lightly regarded than the daily paper; yet the ordinary citizen will be amazed to discover how intricate and extensive is the machinery, human and mechanical, involved in the making of the journal he leaves behind him in the train of a morning or takes home at night. It is safe to assert that the Press makes larger demand on a combination of business talent, intellect, organising power, energy, and mechanical in-genuity than any other institution. Mr. Symon gives a sketch of the history of newspapers from their rise in Stuart times, incidentally revealing the parts played as journalists by such men as Daniel Defoe and Fielding; he traces the gradual development of great dailies from their small infancy, and, not less interesting, shows how the picture papers, of which, as most people know, The Illustrated London News was the first, came into being and attained to their present popularity. Historical interest, however, is overlain by that attaching to the manifold secrets of modern newspaper production. The author lays bare the whole complex machinery in operation; he shows us the Chief arranging with his departmental editors the general plan of to-morrow's issue; the News editor in touch with correspondents in every part of the kingdom; the Foreign editor instructing informants in the capitals of the world; the quiet room in which news arriving by post, wire, or messenger is put into shape for the printers, and the noisy one in which the reporters are writing out their "stories": says Mr. Symon, "It is quite an accepted tradition that the reporters' room shall be noisy." From carly afternoon till midnight the work goes on, assembling, selecting, shaping, and arranging the "stuft," which is poured upstairs to the composing-room through pneumatic-tubes; deliberation becomes haste, haste becomes speed, and speed ends in the final ordered scurry as the time draws near to "put the paper to bed." posing-room, under its autocrat, the head printer, is a place no less interesting for its usages and methods; and those who appreciate mechanical wonders cannot but linger in foundry and machine-room. Mr. Symon deals with every phase of newspaper work, from the making of paper from wood-pulp in the forests of Newfoundland to the ultimate distribution of journals through the various channels, the great agencies, to the street newsboy. The human interest predominates throughout, wherein lies much of the

charm of the book; anecdote, sensational and humorous abounds; there is always something to tell, whether of the feats of a war-correspondent, the idiosyncrasies of journalists, or the jokes of the reporters'-room. invests his story with a quality of freshness to be expected rather of one whose enthusiasm has been roused by first discovery of the mysteries than of the journalist to whom they make the routine of daily life. His book is one that will be bound to interest everyone who, in the familiar phrase, "reads the paper," and that is tantamount to saying that it will interest the whole reading public

Mirabeau. Mirabeau the statesman, that "gigantic Heathen and Titan," as Carlyle calls him, who might have prevented, or at least modified, the fury of the French Revolution, but who died on the eve of the great tragedy—this Mirabeau is well-enough known to those who have studied French history in the latter part of the eighteenth century. Mirabeau the man, in his private life, before he entered politics, is probably less familiar to the generality of English readers. Both aspects of the great Frenchman are fully presented in the biography by the Premier of France, M. Louis Barthou, of which an English translation—"Mirabeau" (Heinemann)—has appeared in the series of Eminent Figures in French History. The book deals in considerable detail with Mirabeau's family history, for the purpose of tracing the influence of his ancestry on his character, and with the remarkable vicissitudes of his own earlier career. To modern ideas, one of the most extraordinary features of the social life of the time was the system of lettres de cachet, under which the head of a family could obtain authority to imprison his son. Thus Mirabeau, as a young man, was repeatedly and for years placed in confinement in ditterent places at the instance of the Marquis his father, who early conceived a prejudice against him, and whose harsh treatment embittered him and increased his inclinawas repeatedly and for years placed in conhement in ditterent places at the instance of the Marquis his father, who early conceived a prejudice against him, and whose harsh treatment embittered him and increased his inclination to excesses. It was not till 1780, when he was thirtyone, that Mirabeau left his last place of incarceration, Vincennes, where he wrote some of his most famous letters. Much of these earlier chapters is a tale of mercenary intrigues and litigation, extravagances, and numerous illicit love-attairs; and it cannot be said that, for all his brilliance and his alleged charm, Mirabeau emerges as a very lovable character. He was unfaithful to his wife, whom he married for money, and the two women who cared for him most—Sophie, Marquise de Monnier, and Mme. de Nehra—he eventually forsook. The former committed suicide. Nevertheless, with all his faults, Mirabeau remains an arresting personality, apart from his political genius. M. Barthou has drawn a full-length portrait, sincere, able, and impartial. There is no preface, but incidentally we learn that much of his material has been hitherto unpublished. The translation, which is

nonymous, reads well on the whole, but lapses occasionly into rather Gallicised English, as in such phrases as Her angelic physiognomy and her magical powers of duction fascinated the monster "; while in the passage ding "O Parisians, admire your sublime police," the ord "police" should apparently be "polity," or some gequivalent. The book has for illustrations seven ortraits and a view of the château and village of Mirabeau ending "O rule word "police" sh thing equivalent. portraits and a vice once.

Russian Pilgrims at Jerusalem. Mr. Stephen Graham travelled to Jerusalem at the season of the great spring pilgrimage, travelled with five or six hundred Russian peasants from Constantinople to Jaffa on "an ugly ship, black as a collier, flying the yellow quarantine flag and the Russian tricolour." The extraordinary enthusiasm of the Mouzhik shines all through the pages of his book, "With the Russian Pilgrims to Jerusalem" (Macmillan), but at the same time it must be admitted that the dispassionate observer who, like the writer of this note, has watched the Russian peasant in Jerusalem from a reasonable distance, cannot feel as Mr. Graham does. There is something pathetic and sad at best in the sight of so much ignorance, fanaticism, and dirt, and quite unconsciously the author reveals the state of mind that makes for pilgrimage and "pogrom" alike when he quotes Dostoievsky, who tells us that the Russian peasant may "suddenly abandon everything and go off to Jerusalem on a pilgrimage for his son!'s salvation, or perhaps do both." The grossest superstition, acting upon weak minds and upon imaginations fired partly by the village priest and partly by vodka, makes pilgrims of the class with which Mr. Graham travelled. Sometimes the superstition wears a charming semblance of simple faith, and Mr. Graham is quite content with the superficial aspect. His book is one of more than common interest; it is well written, and holds the reader's attention all the time; but, for all his pleading, the Mohammedan's pilgrimage to Mecca is a far finer thing, while in the Russian's there is a large measure of idolatry. That many of the peasants who shared the author's journey were men of great personal charm does but add to the regret that their mental state inspires. The Russians themselves speak of some of the pilgrims as some "stupid to the point of sanctity," but Mr. Graham holds that "the seven thousand pilgrims at Jerusalem are the seven thousand that make a nation's worth to God." Later on he adds that sixty per cent. are i



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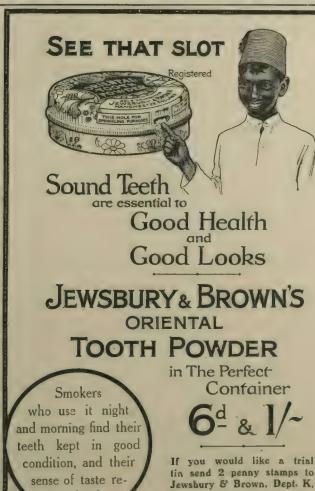
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18. P takes P Kt to R 4th

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WI	итк (Mr. Е.)	BIACK [Mr. J.]
ı.	P to K 4th	P to K 4th
	P to Q 4th	P takes P
ţ,	P to Q B 3rd	P to Q 6th
1-	Kt to K B 3rd	B to B 4th
i.	B to Kt 5th	Kt to KB 3rd

6,	P to Q 3rd
	Q Kt to Q and Kt to B 3rd
В,	P to Q Kt 4th B to Kt 3rd
9.	P to Q R 4th

16) QR to R sq. QR to B sq.
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his early operations on the Queen's
wing. He has opened a path for
the opposing Rooks along which
there is no defence against them.
20. P to R 3rd.—B takes Kt.

ŋ,		P to Q R 3rd
IO.	Kt to B 4th	B to Kt 5th
EI.	Kt takes B	P takes Kt
12.	B to K and	P to R 3rd
13.	B takes Kt	Q takes B

21. B takes B R takes B P

22. R to Q sq R to K 4th

C Q takes Q P R takes B

24. Q takes Kt P R takes R P

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r. B to R sq	P to Kt
z. R to Kt and	P moves
2 R takes P mate	

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White to play, and mate in two move-

In all parts of the Cornish Riviera a second summer season has recently been in full swing. Within a fortnight of November the weather of July came back in the shape of a St. Luke's Summer beating all records. The weather-wise people of the West confidently predict that this autumnal summer of unprecedented beauty is not yet over, and that All Saints' Day (Nov. I) and St. Martin's Day (Nov. II) will bring weather which cannot fail to attract large numbers of holiday-makers to that favoured part of England.

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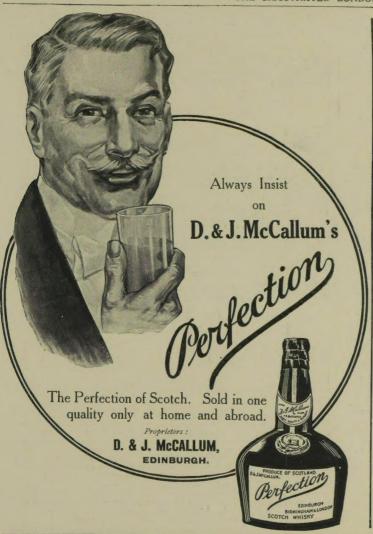
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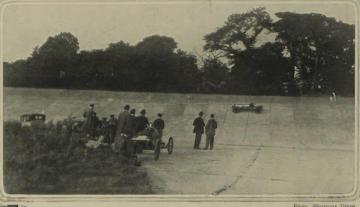
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The Paris Show. For the first time in the history of international motor shows, the French automobile industry has anticipated Olympia by holding its exhibition in October instead of in December, as has usually been the case. The reason for this is, of course, that the French trade hopes to secure the first of the business by being earliest in the field with the new season's models; but I do not think their enterprise is destined to meet with its anticipated reward. For some years now London has been the centre of business, for the very sufficient reason that this country absorbs more cars than any other on this side of the Atlantic, and it is only natural that the principal interest should centre about the London exhibition. There is another excellent reason why the French function should have fallen to second place. In the years gone by France held an indisputable lead so far as design was concerned. Her cars were admittedly far in front of anything we could produce over here, and the natural consequence was that the discriminating motorist crossed the Channel when he wanted to see the thing that was new and good. All that, however, is now a matter of very

thing shown there which is likely to revolutionise automobile practice as we know it—or even visibly to affect it. Improvement there is, of course, but it is in detail rather than in the whole design. In any case, there is nothing of interest exhibited which will not be shown at Olympia a fortnight hence, so there is really no need for me to claborate the subject just now. There is just one point on which it may be permissible to touch, and that is the matter of the number of British firms who

of British firms who have thought it worth have thought it worth while to stage their cars for the inspection of the French motorist. It is an exceedingly healthy sign to find such firms as Wolseley, Daimler, Rolls - Royce, Humber, and others exhibiting in Paris year after year. It may after year. It may be taken as read that

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So far as concerns the show which is running in Paris at the present time, I have not heard that there is any-

for the mere fun of the thing—there must be solid business be-hind it, or they would not continue. More-over, it is not only in over, it is not only in the matter of chassis design in which it is found possible to challenge comparison with the French makers. For example, the Wolseley exhibit. consists entirely of finished cars, fitted with British coach-

they do not go there

work, which is to the full as artistic and as well finished as anything that the best of the French houses can show. Truly, we have no need to fear for our position in the automobile world, so long as our own firms keep up their present standard.

however, I understand they intend to make a great bid for however, I understand they intend to make a great bid for popularity. Large extensions of the tyre works have been carried out; the services of Mr. J. Traxler, well known in connection with both the Goodrich and Goodyear Companies, have been secured as commercial manager; and I am told that things are expected to go ahead very rapidly. There is always room at the top, and as Messrs. Henley happen to be doing the best possible thing to ensure success—that is, they are making an excellent tyre—there is little doubt but that they will soon make themselves very greatly felt in the tyre world.

A New Motor Spirit.

It always seems that as the Show draws near one begins to live in an atmosphere of new things and new enterprises. Last week I was given an opportunity of hearing all about a new motor spirit which, I think, is going to make a difference before long. This new product in known as "Economin," and seems to consist of a compound having an eighty per cent. basis of ordinary parafin, to which certain other constituents are added, the whole then being distilled over to produce the spirit. "Economin"



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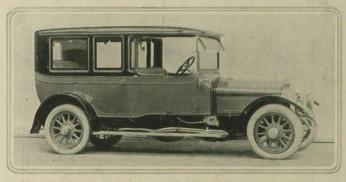
Death of a Prominent Dunlop Official.

It was with the deepest regret that I heard the other day of the death of Mr. Michael Egan, assistant

Bunlop Official. Mr. Michael Egan, assistant general manager of the Dunlop Company. His loss is one that will not easily be repaired, for he was an exceedingly able man of business, apart from his personal qualities. I had known him for some years, so the loss is to me a distinctly personal one, for he was one of the most lovable of men—one of that rare type of whom it may be truthfully said that he had not an enemy in the world. The whole motor industry is the poorer for his premature removal by the hand of death. moval by the hand of death.

More Talbot Records.

Talbot! On Friday of last week Percy Lambert, on the record-breaking "twenty-five," essayed another attack on the hour record abrooklands. Ten laps were covered at a speed of 107.81 miles per hour, setting up new figures



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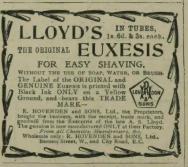
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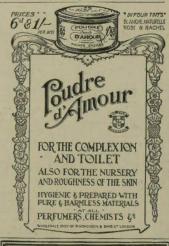
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